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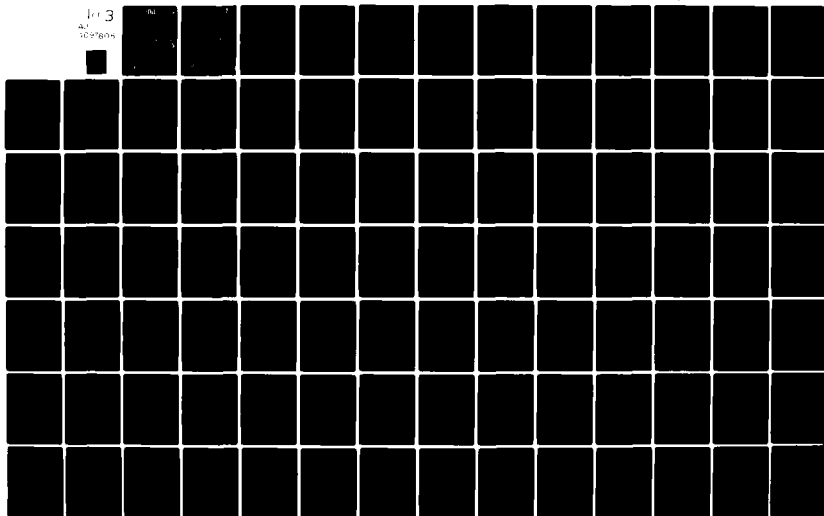
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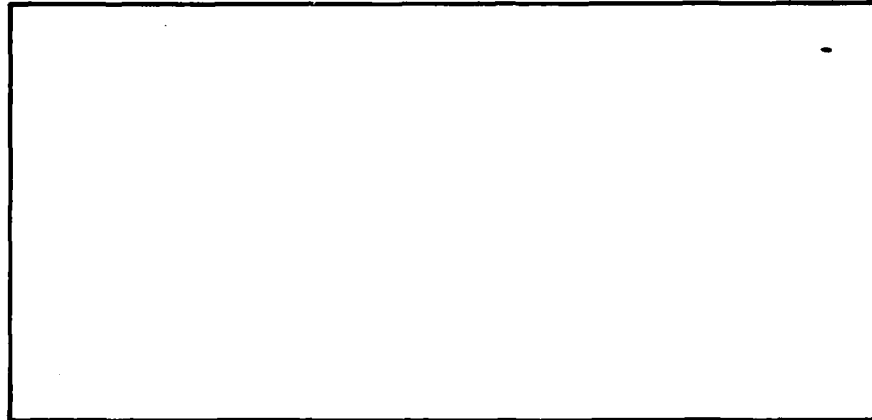
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1. INTRODUCTION

This report presents the data and briefly describes some preliminary oceanographic results of the cruise of the USCGC WESTWIND to the Northwest Greenland Sea during the period 15 August to 30 September 1979. The primary objectives of the field program were to collect bathymetric, physical oceanographic and acoustic data in selected areas of the continental shelf of eastern Greenland between 76°N and 82°N. Temperature, salinity, sound speed, and sigma-T data obtained with a profiling Conductivity-Temperature-Depth (CTD) Unit are presented here; acoustic and bathymetric results will be reported separately.

2. CRUISE DESCRIPTION

2.1 General

The scientific party boarded the USCGC WESTWIND in Reykjavik, Iceland on 14 August 1979. Included in the scientific group were:

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The ship departed Reykjavik on the evening of 15 August and arrived at about 77°N, 00°W on the afternoon of 19 August and commenced the scientific operations. The scientific program was concluded on 25 September and the scientific party was disembarked at Reykjavik on 30 September.

2.2 Areas of Operation

To indicate the general areas of operation the cruise track is sketched in Figure 1 with the 0000Z positions labeled daily. The names and locations of geographic features are indicated in Figure 4. A brief summary of the scientific operations follows:

19 - 20 August 1979: Completed an east to west cross section of nine stations with approximately 15 km spacing across the Polar Front in the vicinity of 79°N.

21 - 27 August 1979: Conducted CTD/bathymetric survey south of Ob Bank, working from seaward northwest toward Ingolfs Fjord along a zig-zag path.

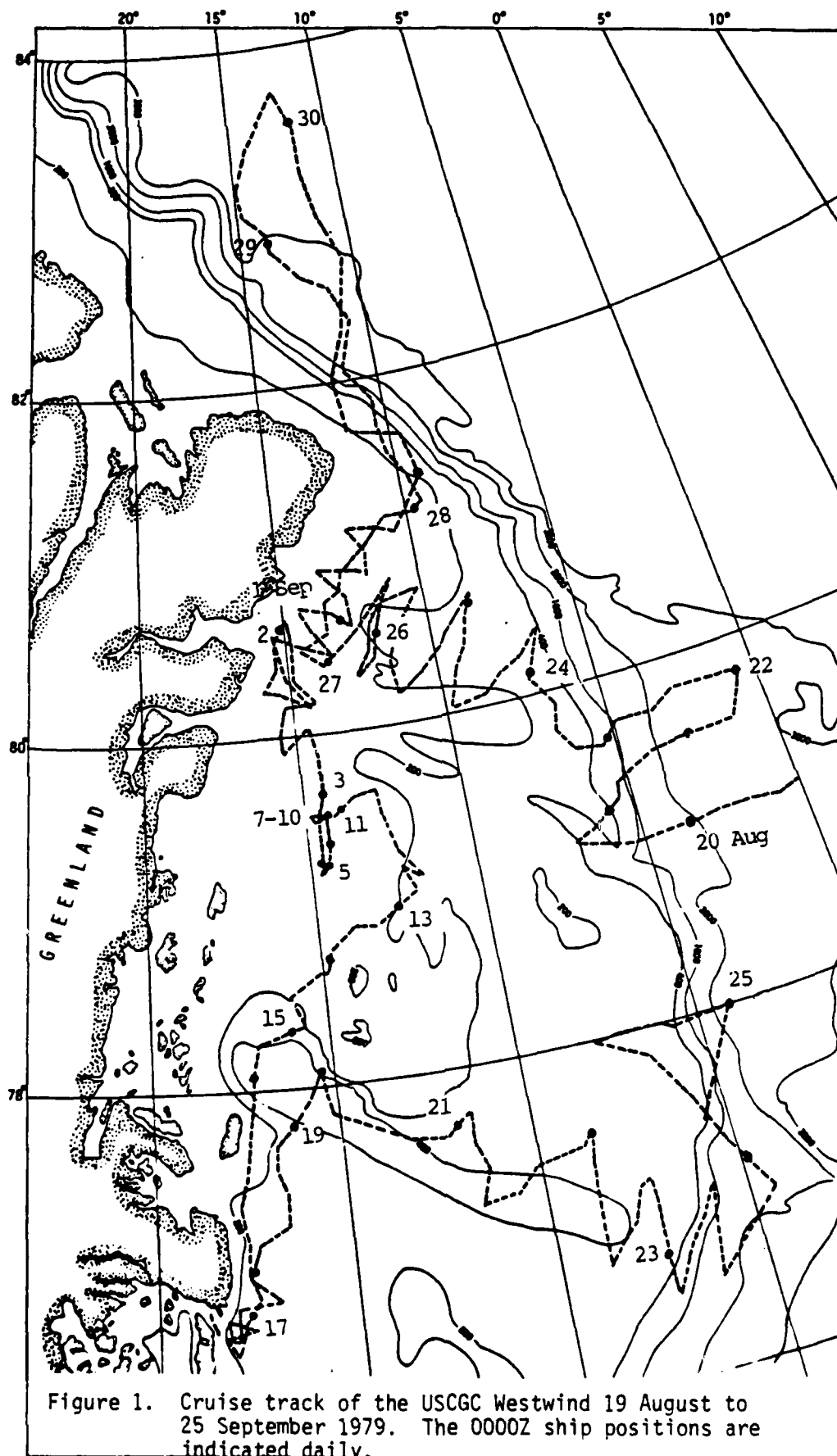


Figure 1. Cruise track of the USCGC Westwind 19 August to 25 September 1979. The 0000Z ship positions are indicated daily.

- 28 - 30 August 1979: Ship proceeded north to vicinity of 83°-45'N, 12°-20'W. CTD casts were taken every 15-25 km.
- 31 August - 2 Sept 1979: Continued CTD/bathymetric survey south and west of Ob Bank.
- 3 - 4 September 1979: Moved south to conduct survey in the region west of Belgica Bank.
- 5 - 11 September 1979: Because heavy, fast ice precluded ship penetration into the near-shore area, CTD/bathymetric measurements were commenced using the helicopters. On 5 September, after two stations, a tail rotor linkage broke on one helicopter while it was on the ice 26 miles from the ship. Scientific operations were reduced to a minimum level while the ship moved to within 12 miles of the downed helicopter to begin repairs. Parts were airdropped by a Coast Guard C-130 on 8 September. The helicopter was repaired, brought back on board and was ready for operations on 11 September.
- 12 - 15 September 1979: Resumed survey of areas west of Belgica Bank and Belgica Dyb. Made extensive use of the helicopters to take CTD/bathymetric data in near-shore fast ice areas.
- 16 - 18 September 1979: Moved south, conducted CTD/bathymetric survey off Germania Land and Store Koldewey.
- 20 - 23 September 1979: Survey of Belgica Dyb along zig-zag path southeast toward the continental slope.
- 24 - 25 September 1979: Completed section of six stations across the Polar Front at about 78°N. Terminated scientific operations.

2.3 Weather Conditions

The weather conditions encountered during the cruise are graphically presented in Figure 2, and provide a plot of surface pressure, wind speed and direction, air temperature and visibility, taken from the WESTWIND's routine six-hourly weather observations. These parameters are plotted versus time as a convenience, even though they do not represent a true time series at a fixed point. The weather conditions during the cruise are summarized in Tables I through III.

During the portion of the cruise within the survey area (18 August through 26 September 1979), air temperatures ranged from -13°C to $+7^{\circ}\text{C}$. Most observations fell between -5°C and $+2.5^{\circ}\text{C}$ with an average air temperature of -1°C . Visibility was generally poor, with ranges less than 2 n. mi. nearly half of the time, and less than 5 n. mi. for 75% of the cruise. Winds were typically light, less than 15 kts, and predominantly from the north or northeast.

During the initial portions of the cruise, while the ship was working southeast of Ingolfs Fjord, winds were from the southwest with speeds decreasing from 20-25 kts to about 0 kts. Air temperatures decreased from about $+5^{\circ}\text{C}$ near the ice edge to around 0°C as the ship moved into the ice pack. Visibility was generally poor in fog and snow. Following the "northing" on 28-30 August, while the ship operated in the vicinity of Belgica Bank (until about 15 September), the wind became predominantly from the north and air temperatures decreased to about -10°C . Visibility was generally better during this portion of the cruise.

Weather conditions during the last half of the cruise were dominated by the passage of three low pressure areas (10 September 19 September, and 26 September). Winds increased to in excess of 30 kts, from the north/northeast on each occasion. The latter two storms were associated with significant amounts of snow and poor visibility.

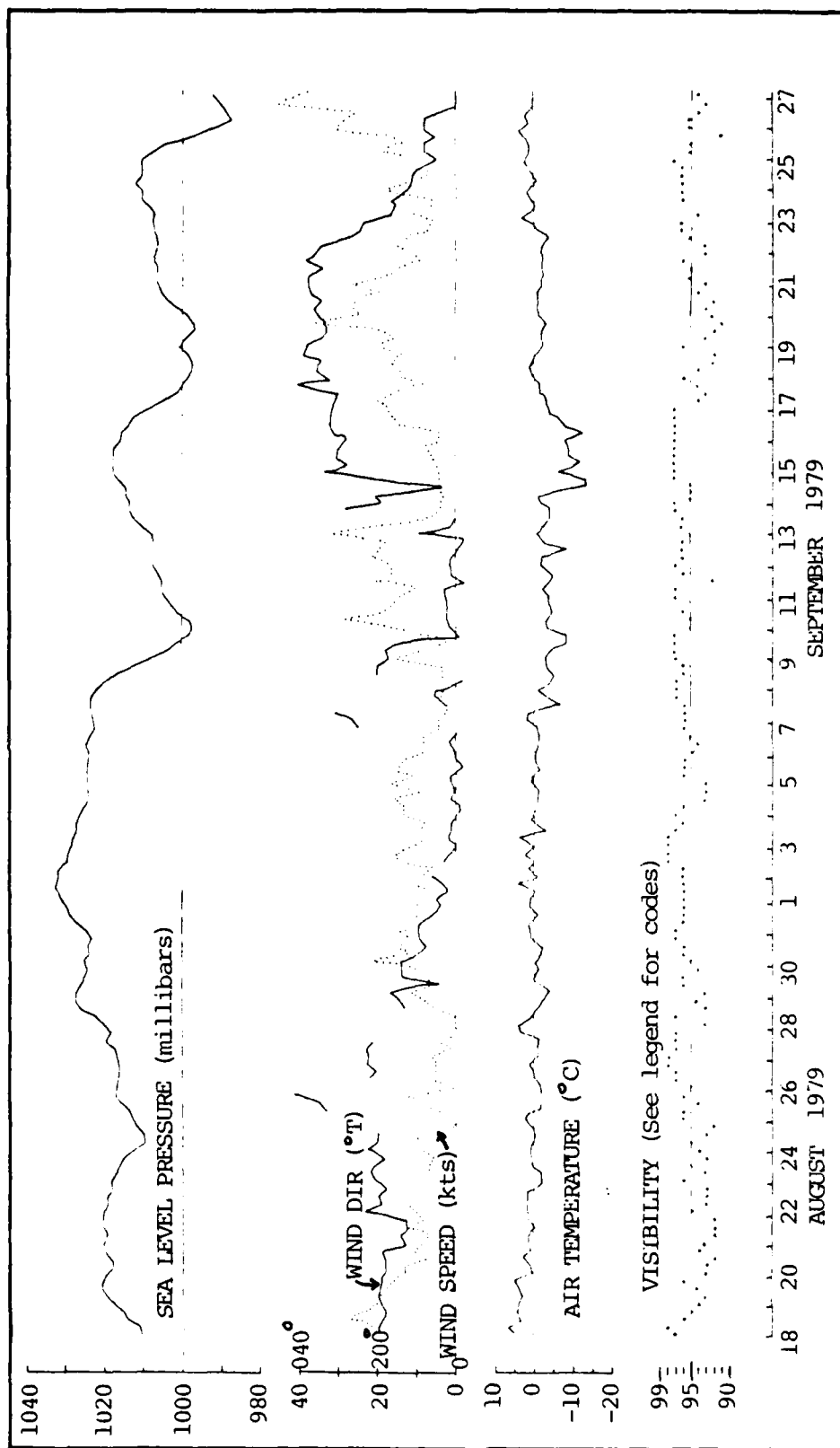


Figure 2. Weather conditions plotted versus time based on WESTWIND routine six-hourly observations. Visibility codes: 90 = 50 yds.; 91 = 50 to 200 yds.; 92 = 200 yds. to 1/4 n. mi.; 93 = 1/4 to 1/2 n. mi.; 94 = 1/2 to 1 n. mi.; 95 = 1 to 2 n. mi.; 96 = 2 to 5 n. mi.; 97 = 5 to 10 n. mi.; 98 = 10 to 25 n. mi.; 99 = > 25 n. mi.

TABLE I. Summary of air temperatures ($^{\circ}\text{C}$); 18 August - 26 September 1979. (160 observations at six-hour intervals).

INTERVAL	-15 to -12.5	-12.5 to -10	-10 to -7.5	-7.5 to -5	-5 to -2.5	-2.5 to 0	0 to 2.5	2.5 to 5	5 to 7.5
% WITHIN INTERVAL	1.2	1.3	3.8	1.9	15.7	35.2	32.1	6.9	1.9
CUMULATIVE %	1.2	2.5	6.3	8.2	23.9	59.1	91.2	98.1	100.0

TABLE II. Summary of visibility conditions (yds or n. mi.); 18 August - 26 September 1979. (160 observations at six-hour intervals).

INTERVAL	50 to 200 yds.	200 yds. to $\frac{1}{2}$ n. mi.	$\frac{1}{2}$ to $\frac{1}{2}$ n. mi.	$\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 n. mi.	1 to 2 n. mi.	2 to 5 n. mi.	5 to 10 n. mi.	10 to 25 n. mi.
% WITHIN INTERVAL	1.3	6.9	14.5	9.4	13.2	28.9	21.4	4.4
CUMULATIVE %	1.3	8.2	22.7	32.1	45.3	74.2	95.6	100.0

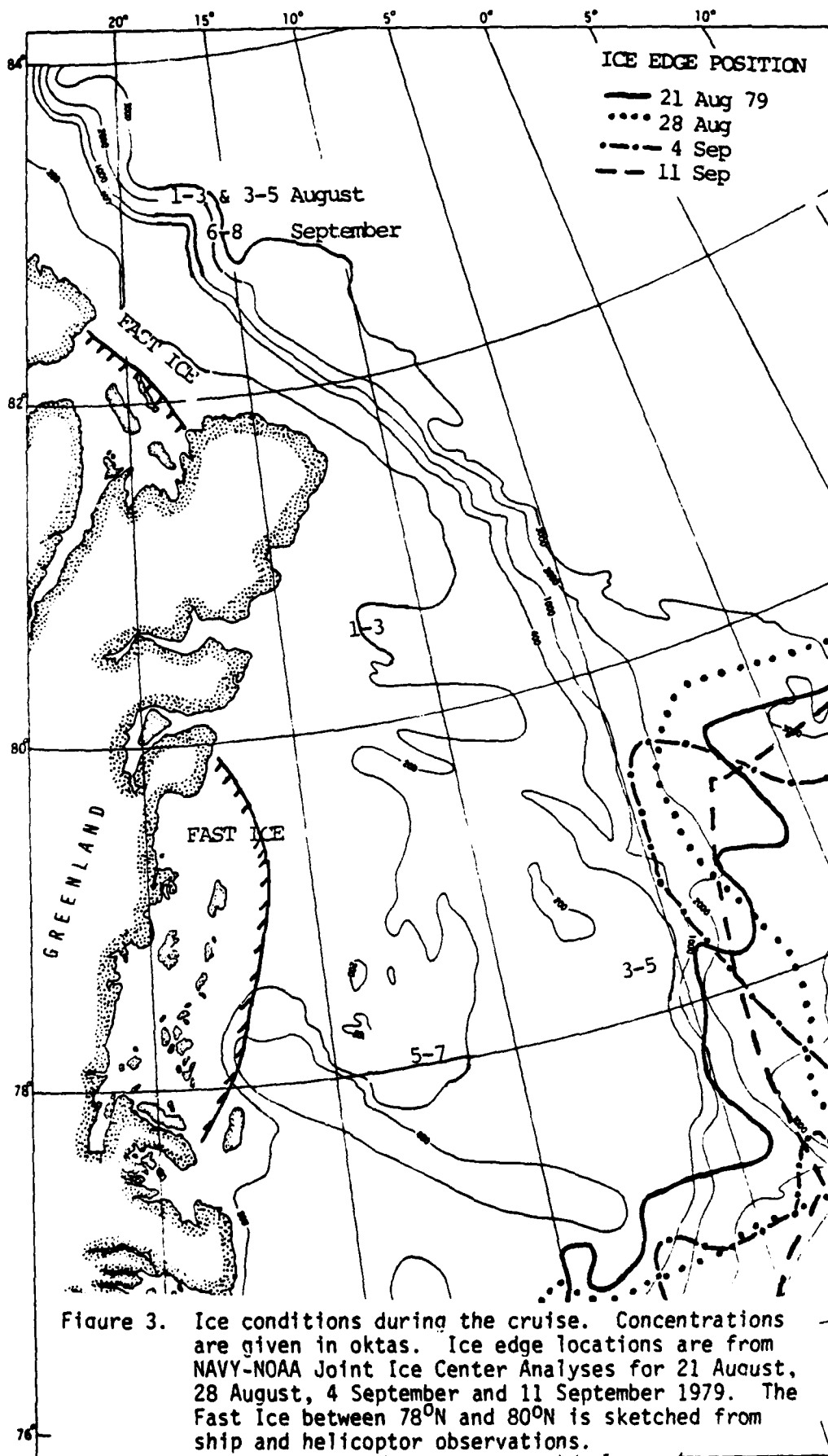
TABLE III. Summary of wind speed (kts.) and direction ($^{\circ}$ T); 18 August - 26 September 1979
(Observations at six-hour intervals).

SPEED (KTS) DIRECTION ($^{\circ}$ T)	0 to 5 kts.	5 to 10 kts.	10 to 15 kts.	15 to 20 kts.	20 to 25 kts.	25 to 30 kts.	30 to 35 kts.	35 to 40 kts.	> 40 kts.	%
180 ($\pm 22\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ T)	3.1	4.4	6.3	1.9	3.1	0.6				19.4
225	1.3	3.8	1.3							6.4
270	1.9	2.5	0.6							5.0
315	1.9	1.3	0.6	3.1	0.6			0.6		8.1
000	1.3	6.9	4.4	11.3	2.5	2.5		0.6	0.6	30.1
045	2.5	3.1	3.8	1.3		0.6				11.3
090		1.9	3.1	1.3		0.6	1.3			8.2
135	0.6	4.4	1.3	0.6	0.6					7.5
%	12.6	28.3	21.4	19.5	6.8	4.3	1.3	1.2	0.6	

2.4 Ice Conditions

Figure 3 depicts the general ice conditions encountered during the survey. The ice edge position, taken from the NAVY-NOAA Joint Ice Center analysis for 21 August, 28 August, 4 September and 11 September 1979, tended to parallel the continental slope. Pack ice concentrations over the continental shelf ranged from a low of about 1 okta to more than 7 oktas at times. The ice concentration tended to be somewhat lighter north of Belgica Bank off Ingolfs Fjord, than to the south of Belgica Bank. Fairly light ice was encountered north of Ob Bank during the northward transit to the vicinity of 83°-45'N.

A series of helicopter flights were conducted during 12-15 September to collect bathymetric and oceanographic data in the near-shore area between 78° and 80°N. A long continuous lead was observed paralleling the coastline. The ice shoreward of this lead appeared to be relatively stationary (sketched as Fast Ice in Figure 3) having a continuous, nearly flat surface, with little evidence of active ridging. The seaward edge of the ice sheet was somewhat deformed and thicker than a nine foot drill string could penetrate. Ice thickness generally decreased shoreward with one drill site near the islands northwest of the Ile de France showing less than three feet of ice.



3. PHYSICAL OCEANOGRAPHIC MEASUREMENTS

3.1 Methods

CTD profiles were taken with the Lightweight Profiler (LP) system that was developed by the Applied Physics Laboratory of the University of Washington. A more detailed description is contained in Reference 1. The LP is a portable, self-contained system which records conductivity, temperature, and depth data digitally on magnetic tape cassettes which are later processed to compute temperature and salinity as a function of depth. A lowering rate of about 1 m sec^{-1} was utilized resulting in 2 to 3 samples per meter.

Two configurations of the LP were employed during the cruise. For shipboard use, a unit with 600 m of cable was installed in the oceanographic laboratory. A small drum driven by an electric motor provided a power assist for hand winching the cable in and out and maintained a steady 1 m sec^{-1} drop and raise rate. Nansen bottles with reversing thermometers were periodically utilized to obtain salinity samples and measure temperature as a check on the LP system operation. The second configuration, for use with the helicopters, was a portable, hand-cranked unit capable of depths to about 200 m. This unit was deployed either from the helicopter as it hovered over open water or by landing on the ice, drilling a hole and lowering the sensor package from the parked helicopter.

Preliminary profiles of temperature and salinity versus depth and temperature versus salinity plots were produced onboard just after each cast utilizing a Hewlett-Packard 9100 series computer/plotter system. These preliminary plots provided a check on the data quality and equipment operation and allowed some initial onboard analysis.

Following the cruise the data was transferred from the cassettes to a seven track tape by the Applied Physics Laboratory of the University of Washington. The data was edited to remove erroneous points. Necessary depth,

temperature and salinity calibrations were applied, and then a preliminary despiking routine was run to remove spurious salinity spikes.

3.2 Navigation

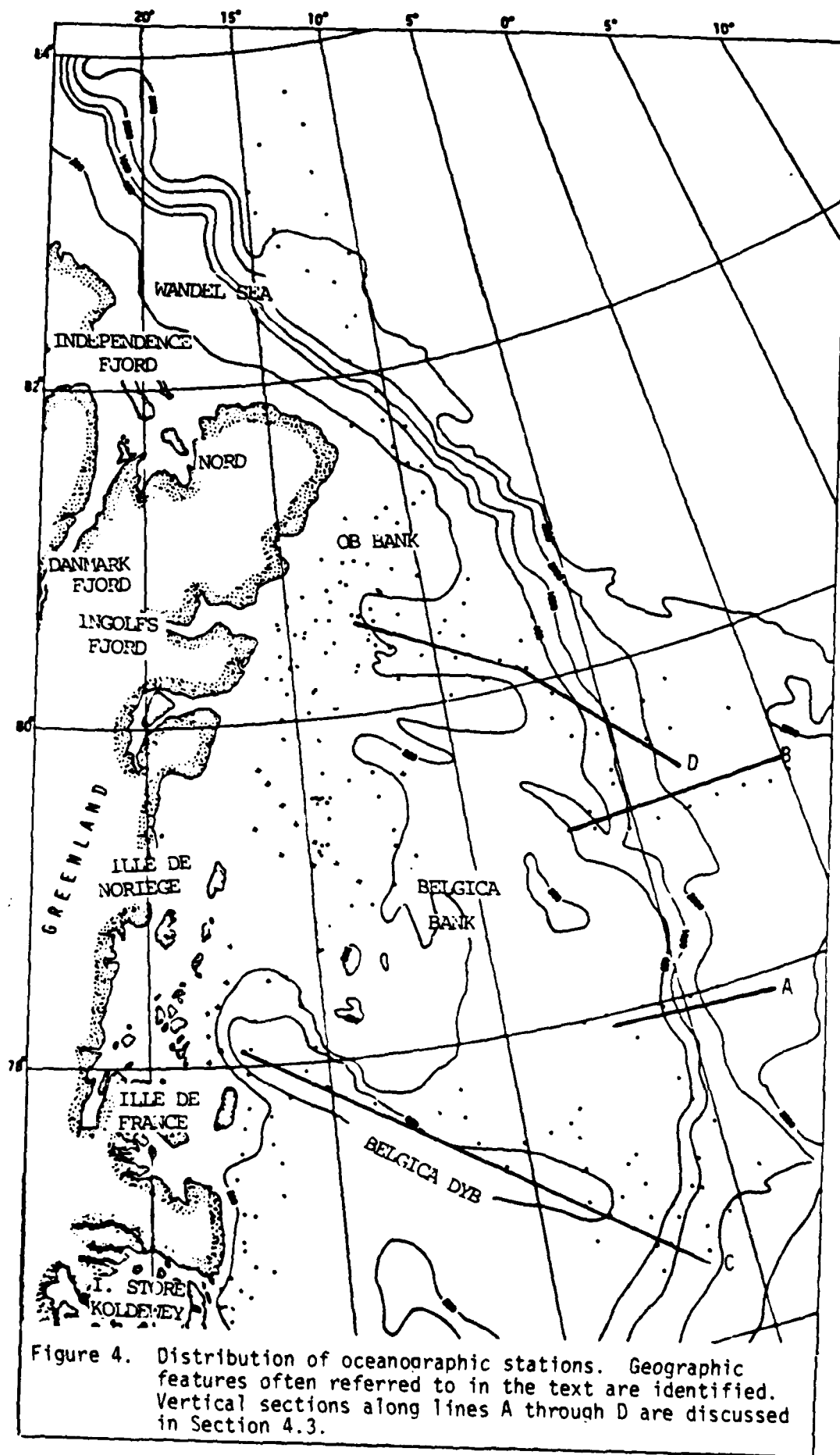
The majority of the navigational information came from a Magnavox MX 1107 Satellite Navigation System installed on WESTWIND just prior to her departure for the cruise. An average of 40 fixes were received each day of which about 3/4 were within the parameters necessary to be considered reliable, although a greater proportion seemed satisfactory. CTD stations were often occupied coincident with a NAVSAT fix or only dead reckoned for a short distance so station position accuracy is probably within 1/2 n. mi.

3.3 Station Distribution

The distribution of oceanographic stations is shown in Figure 4. A total of 236 separate CTD stations were occupied; 19 using the helicopters (denoted by X) and the remainder from the ship (indicated by ●). Typically, stations were spaced at 15 km intervals along the ship's track. As a result there is a heavy concentration of stations north and west of Belgica Bank. Other fairly well defined areas of station coverage include Belgica Dyb and two regions of the Polar Front (at 77°N and 79°N). Figure 5 identifies the stations by number along the ship track.

3.4 Physical Oceanographic Data

The physical oceanographic data is summarized in Appendix A. The first section of the Appendix is a listing of the physical oceanographic stations along with pertinent station data such as date/time of occupancy, position, sounding and some weather information. An explanation of the codes and units is provided in the Appendix.



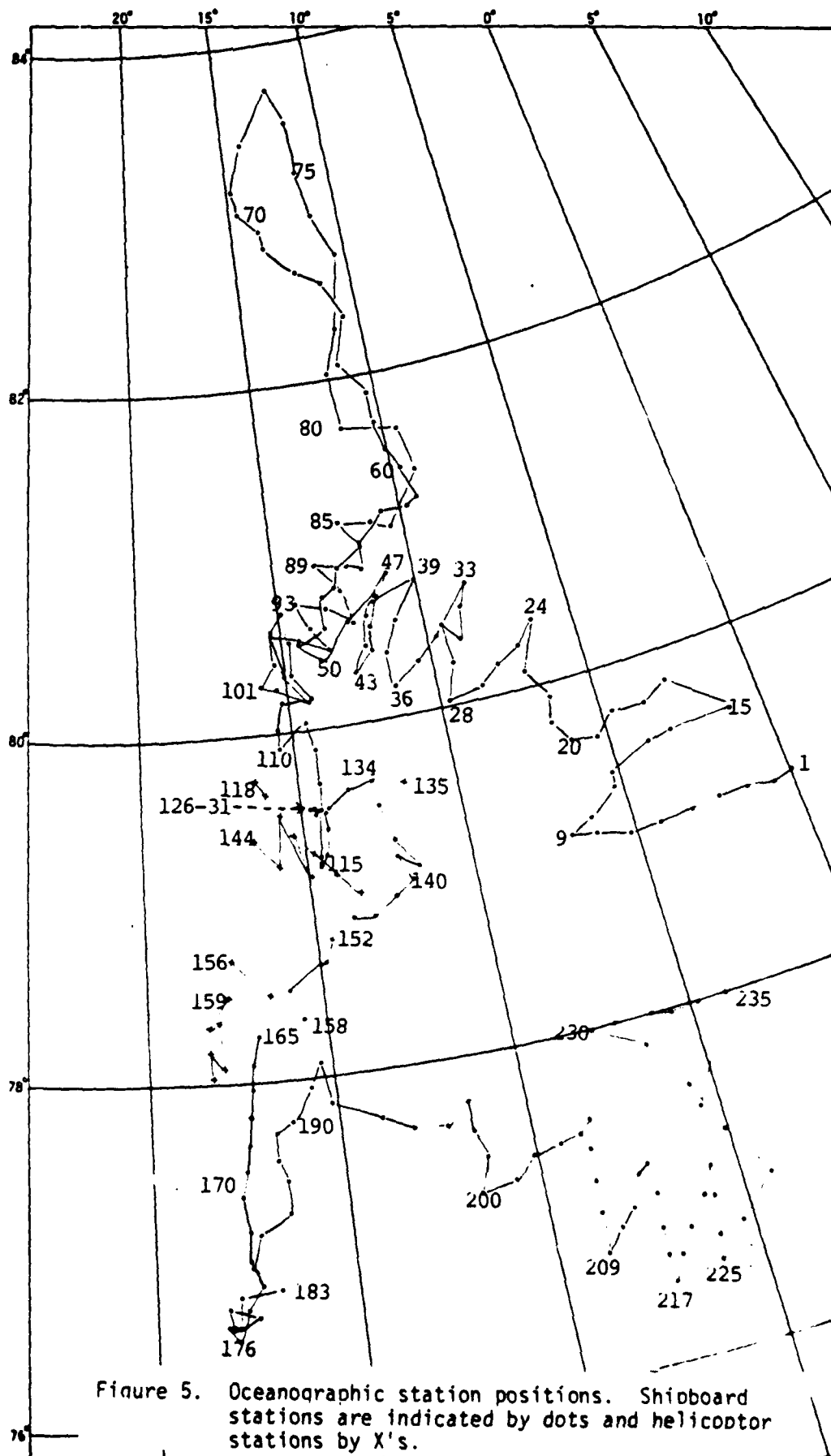


Figure 5. Oceanographic station positions. Shipboard stations are indicated by dots and helicopter stations by X's.

The second portion of the Appendix presents the physical oceanographic data in the form of vertical profiles of temperature, salinity, sound speed and sigma-T. The salinity was computed by converting the in-situ conductivity to an equivalent value at 15°C and zero pressure. Using 42.896 (mmho/cm) as the conductivity at 15°C and 35‰, the conductivity ratio was calculated and salinity determined by the equation utilized for the UNESCO Tables (c.f. Reference 2). The computation of sound speed follows WILSON (Reference 3).

4. PRELIMINARY RESULTS

4.1 Introduction

In a two part paper COACHMAN AND AAGAARD (Reference 4) discussed the water mass characteristics and many features of the velocity field of the East Greenland Current based on investigations to that time. They identified three major water masses, analogous to Arctic Ocean water mass classifications, in the current north of Denmark Strait; Polar Water; Atlantic Intermediate Water; and Deep Water. The profiles (Appendix A) define the Polar Water layer and penetrate into the upper portions of the Atlantic Intermediate Water.

Characteristic Polar Water (temperatures less than 0°C from near-surface to the 150 to 200 m depth range) is evident in all profiles except for stations 3, 224, 225, and 235 which apparently lie to the east of the East Greenland Current in the Greenland Sea. Because near surface temperatures may be elevated in the summer and early fall, the Polar Water often manifests a subsurface temperature minimum between 50 and 150 m.

Atlantic Intermediate Water with temperatures greater than 0°C underlies the Polar water to a depth of 800 m attaining a temperature maximum between 200 and 400 m. Nearly all profiles seaward of the continental shelf break show evidence of positive subsurface temperatures below 200 m indicating the upper layers of the Atlantic Intermediate Water. Positive subsurface temperatures are also found near the bottom over the deeper portions of the continental shelf; for example, extending shoreward along Belgica Dyb (c.f. stations 190 through 200), north of Belgica Bank (c.f. stations 22 through 52), and west of Belgica Bank (c.f. station 165 through 168).

4.2 Horizontal Temperature and Salinity Distributions

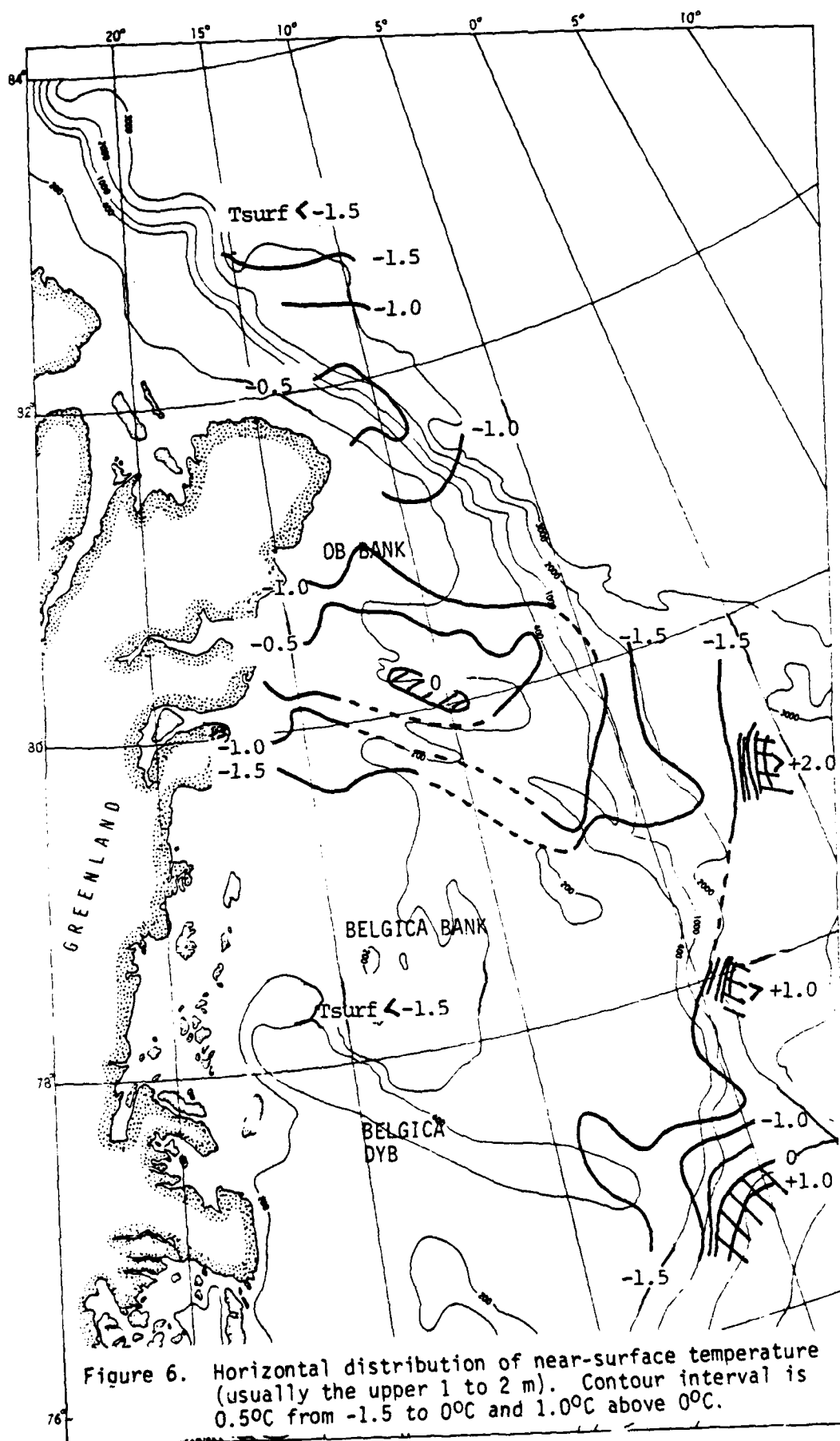
4.2.1 Introduction

Because of the nature of the cruise track, the oceanographic stations were not spaced evenly over the study region, nor were they synoptic. Thus, it is difficult to validly contour property values over the entire shelf region. The horizontal distributions presented in this section attempt to show the important oceanographic features which seemed to be properly defined by the station configuration.

4.2.2 Near Surface Temperature and Salinity

Figures 6 and 7 show the horizontal distribution of near-surface (usually upper 1 to 2 m) temperature and salinity. Positive surface temperatures (hatched areas) occasionally reaching $+2^{\circ}\text{C}$, were found in the open water areas east of the ice edge. Within the ice, surface temperatures were negative, typically less than -1.5°C . The transition from positive to negative surface layer temperature coincided closely with the crossing of the ice margin. It should be noted that the transition from a warm ($>0^{\circ}\text{C}$) to a consistently cold ($<-1.5^{\circ}\text{C}$) surface layer occurred over a very short distance for the ice edge crossings at 78° and 79°N , while at 77°N the transition region was rather broad ($\sim 60\text{km}$). Exceptions to the generally cold surface temperatures over the shelf occurred in two localized regions where surface temperatures were $>-0.5^{\circ}\text{C}$. One of these areas lies north of Ob Bank on the continental slope at about 82°N , 10°W and the other is between Ob and Belgica Banks centered at about $80^{\circ}-30'\text{N}$, 12°W . The latter region of warmer surface temperature appears to extend seaward from the vicinity of Ingolfs Fjord along the northern limit of Belgica Bank.

The highest surface salinities ($>33\text{‰}$) were found east of the ice margin in open water (Figure 7), coincident with the regions of positive surface temperatures. Within the ice and over the majority of the midshelf region surface salinities fell in the 31 to 32‰ range. Low salinity waters



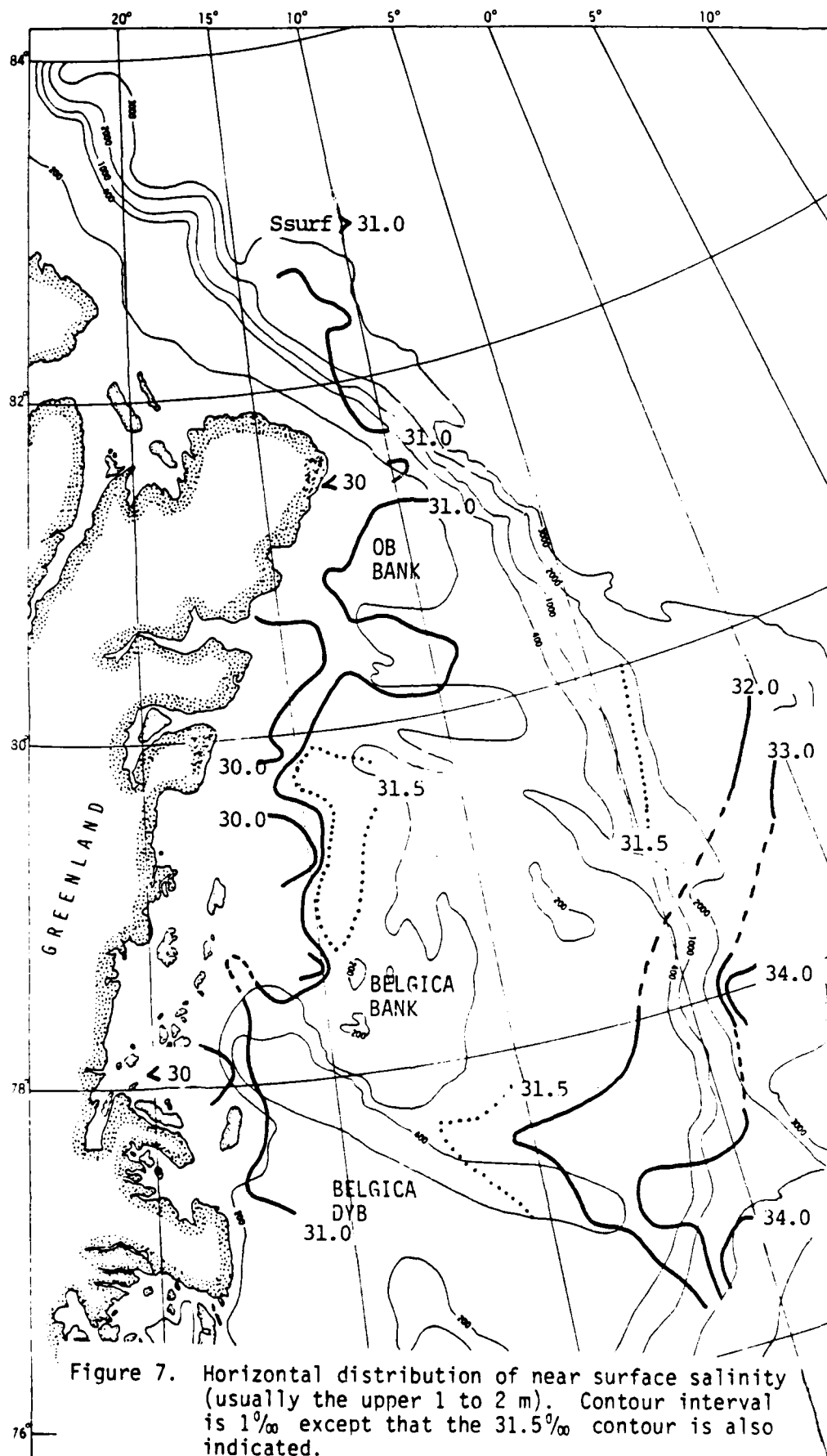


Figure 7. Horizontal distribution of near surface salinity (usually the upper 1 to 2 m). Contour interval is 1‰ except that the 31.5‰ contour is also indicated.

(<30‰) are evident in the near-shore areas as intrusions extending out from local areas of the Greenland coast. Two regions of lower salinity waters which extend a significant distance seaward across the shelf occur coincident with the warmer on-shelf surface water areas described above; i.e. north of Ob Bank and between Ob and Belgica Banks. It appears reasonable that the relatively warm and less saline regions within the peak ice do coincide. A thin layer of fresh water, perhaps from a continental source, would tend to reduce near-surface vertical mixing and thus heat from insolation would be maintained in the upper layers. A positive feed back could exist where the warmer surface layer would melt sea ice locally, decreasing surface salinity and further reducing vertical mixing. This could result in fairly persistent areas of low salinity/warm temperature near-surface water within the pack ice over the shelf.

Two features of the near-surface temperature/salinity distribution (Figure 6 and 7) may reflect the surface circulation pattern. The tongue of warm, less saline water extending eastward across the shelf north of Belgica Bank suggests an eastward flow; while over Belgica Dyb the isolines show an intrusion of warmer, more saline water westward across the shelf. This pattern is consistent with an anticyclonic circulation of the surface waters around Belgica Bank.

4.2.3 Polar Water

Characteristic Polar Water was found at all stations except four which were apparently located east of the East Greenland Current. As most stations had some amount of surface warming, a subsurface temperature minimum occurred within the Polar Water.

Within certain geographic areas the temperature and salinity characteristics of the Polar Water were quite homogeneous and displayed little station-to-station variability. There were, however, significant differences in Polar Water characteristics on the larger, regional scales. Figure 8a compares the vertical temperature, salinity and sigma-T versus depth profiles

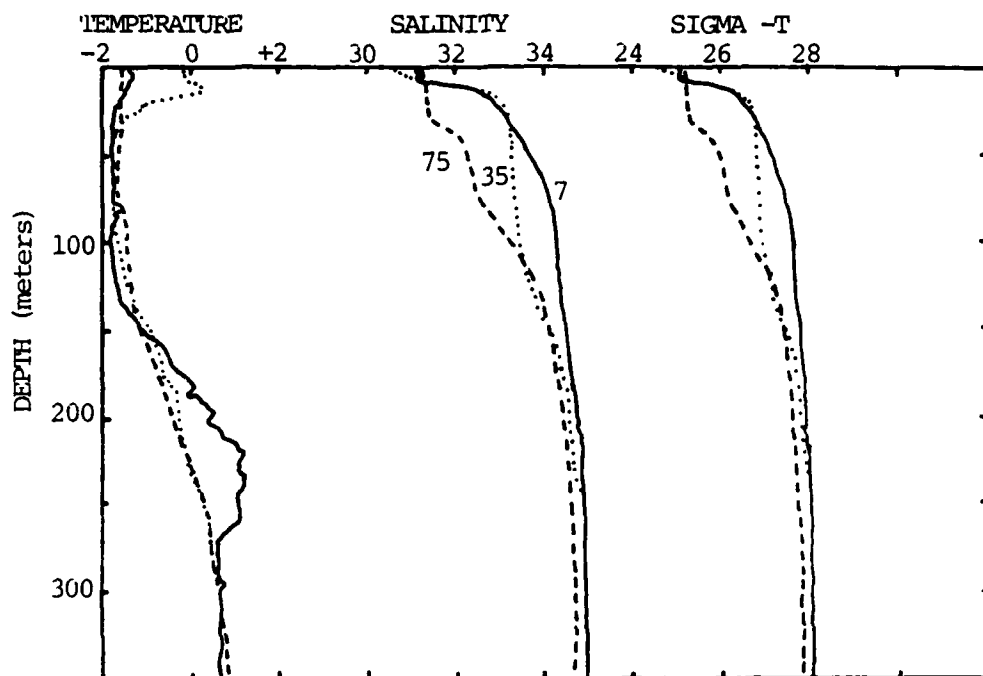


Figure 8a. Comparison of vertical profiles of temperature ($^{\circ}\text{C}$), salinity (‰) and sigma-T at three stations: Station 7, 35, and 75.

for three stations positioned within different areas of the overall study region. Station 7 is from within the East Greenland Current south of Nord; Station 75 is in the East Greenland Current north of Nord; and Station 35 is located on the continental shelf north of Belgica Bank (Figure 5). Figure 8b is the T-S correlation for these stations. All three stations show Polar Water ($<0^{\circ}\text{C}$) extending from the surface to a depth of 180 to 240 m. The lower boundary of the Polar Water (0°C isotherm) coincides with a salinity of about 34.5‰

Above the 0°C isotherm the profiles, especially the vertical distribution of salinity, show significant differences. Along the continental slope north of Nord (Station 75), the salinity of the Polar Water is lower than at the other locations and the vertical profile shows a large vertical scale step-like structure with low vertical salinity gradient regions in the depth bands 0 to 30 m, 40 to 75 m and below 150 m, which are separated by layers of significantly higher vertical gradients. A temperature minimum (-1.77°C) occurs at about 65 m depth with a corresponding salinity of about 32.4‰ . In contrast, Station 7, located within the East Greenland Current south of Nord shows significantly higher salinities ($1\text{--}2\text{‰}$ greater) throughout the Polar Water. At station 7 the minimum temperature (-1.82°C) occurs at 100 m and has a salinity of 34.3‰ . Station 35 seems typical of many of the stations taken on the continental shelf. Except for the influence of near-surface heating/freshening and the warming below by the Atlantic Intermediate Water, there is a fairly large depth band occupied by a cold water mass of rather uniform salinity. The salinity is nominally in the 33.0 to 33.3‰ range, thus falling between the two salinity extremes discussed above for within the East Greenland Current. In this case the minimum temperature of -1.81°C occurs at 57 m and has a salinity of 33.26‰ .

The T-S correlations (Figure 8b) plotted at 10 m depth increments further highlight the differences in the Polar Water temperature-salinity structure. The on-shelf station (Station 35) shows a relatively large amount of cold water (depths 40 to 100 m) concentrated in narrow salinity range (33.2 to 33.4‰) at the temperature minimum. In the East Greenland Current north of

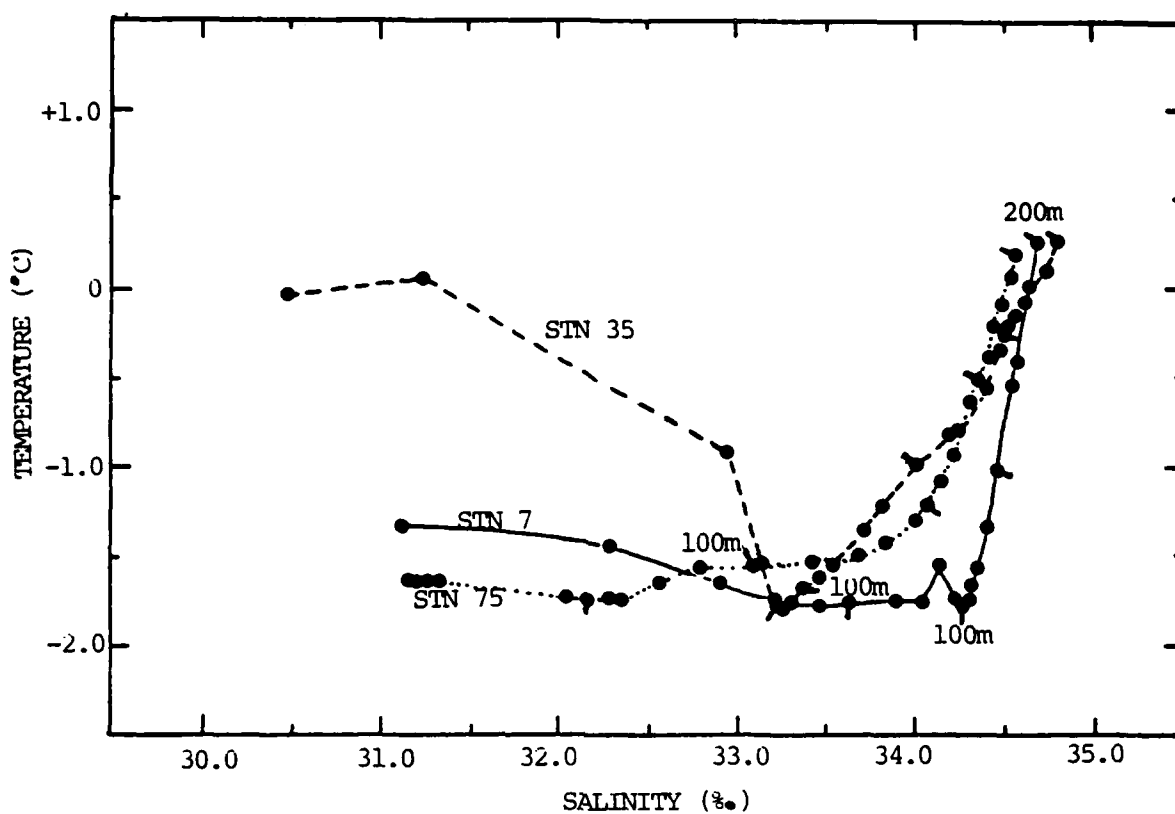


Figure 8b. Comparison of temperature-salinity correlations at Stations 7, 35, and 75.

Nord Station 75), the colder water is more evenly distributed over the salinity range 31 to 34‰. South of Nord within the East Greenland current, the cold temperatures are associated with significantly higher salinities, to in excess of 34‰.

The temperature, and especially, the salinity characteristics of the temperature minimum seemed to be a useful parameter for differentiating the different types of Polar Water structure observed. Figure 9 plots the temperature/salinity characteristics of the temperature minimum on the T-S plane. For this plot all stations were included except those with minimum temperatures greater than -1.25°C (Stations 3, 221, 224, 225, 227 and 235) and those in very shallow water where the temperature minimum often occurred at the bottom (Stations 83-85, 89, 97, 104, 112, and 169). The stations fall into three fairly distinct groups based on temperature, and more obviously salinity characteristics. Stations in the East Greenland Current north of Nord have temperature minimums less than -1.6°C in the salinity range 31.9 to 32.8‰. Continental shelf stations display temperature minimums usually less than -1.55°C and in the salinity range 32.95 to 33.4‰. Stations with temperature minimums whose associated salinity is 34.1 to 34.4‰ are found in the East Greenland Current south of Nord. Stations with somewhat warmer minimum temperatures (-1.25 to -1.55°C) are concentrated south of Ob Bank.

The specific geographic distribution of the temperature minimum characteristics is shown in Figures 10 and 11 which plot the horizontal distribution of the minimum temperature within the Polar Water and the associated salinity. Stations without a significant Polar Water component (i.e., $T_{\min} > -1.0^{\circ}\text{C}$) are located seaward of the 1000m contour, presumably east of the East Greenland Current. The warmest minimum temperatures ($T_{\min} > -1.5^{\circ}\text{C}$) within the Polar Water are found in the shallow areas of Ob Bank. The salinity distribution (Figure 11) clearly shows the regional distribution of the temperature minimum types. Notice there is little variability within each region and that the major salinity changes occur over rather sharp boundaries with few transition values between regions. It should also be noted that certain stations, particularly in the vicinity of the East Greenland

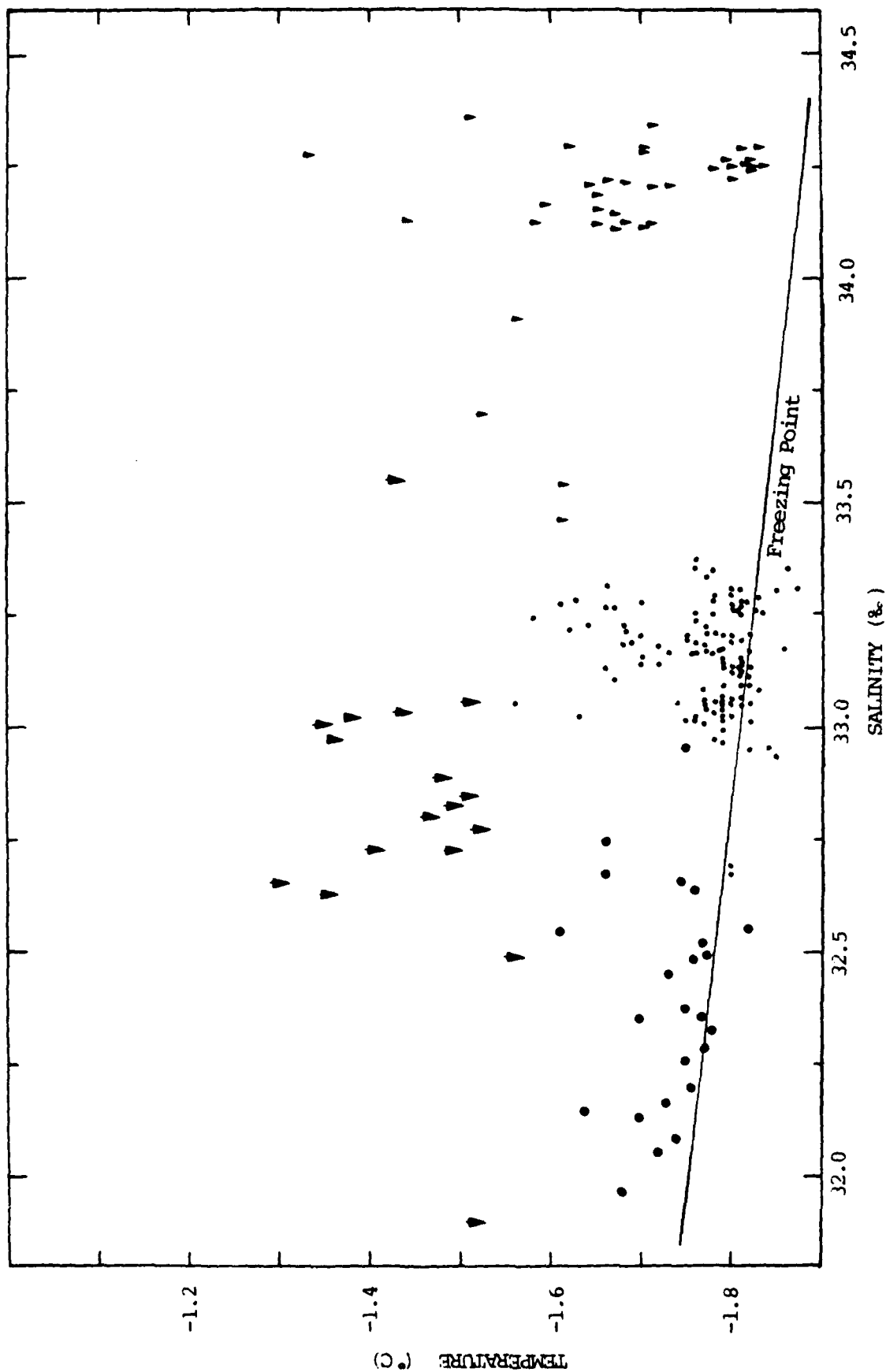
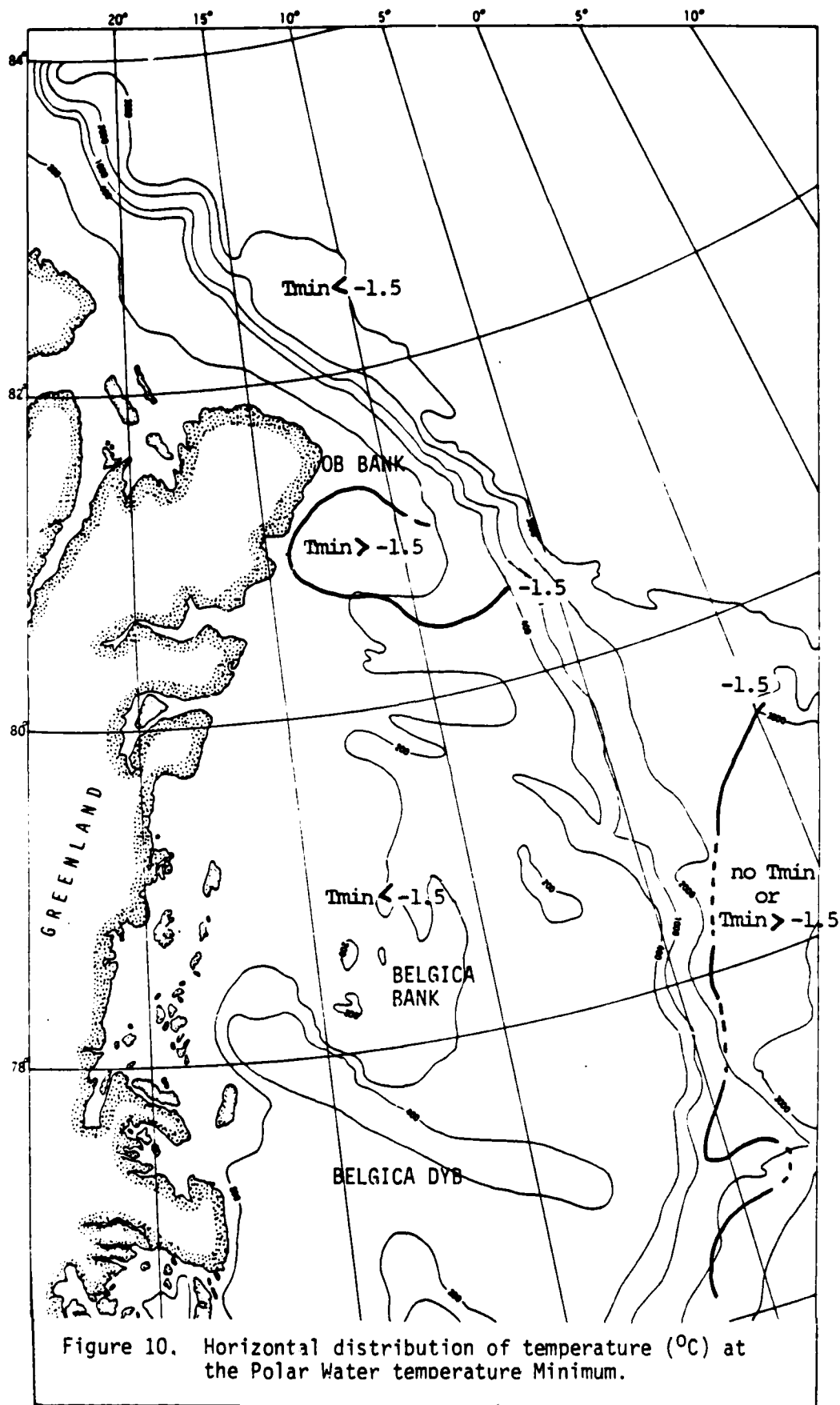
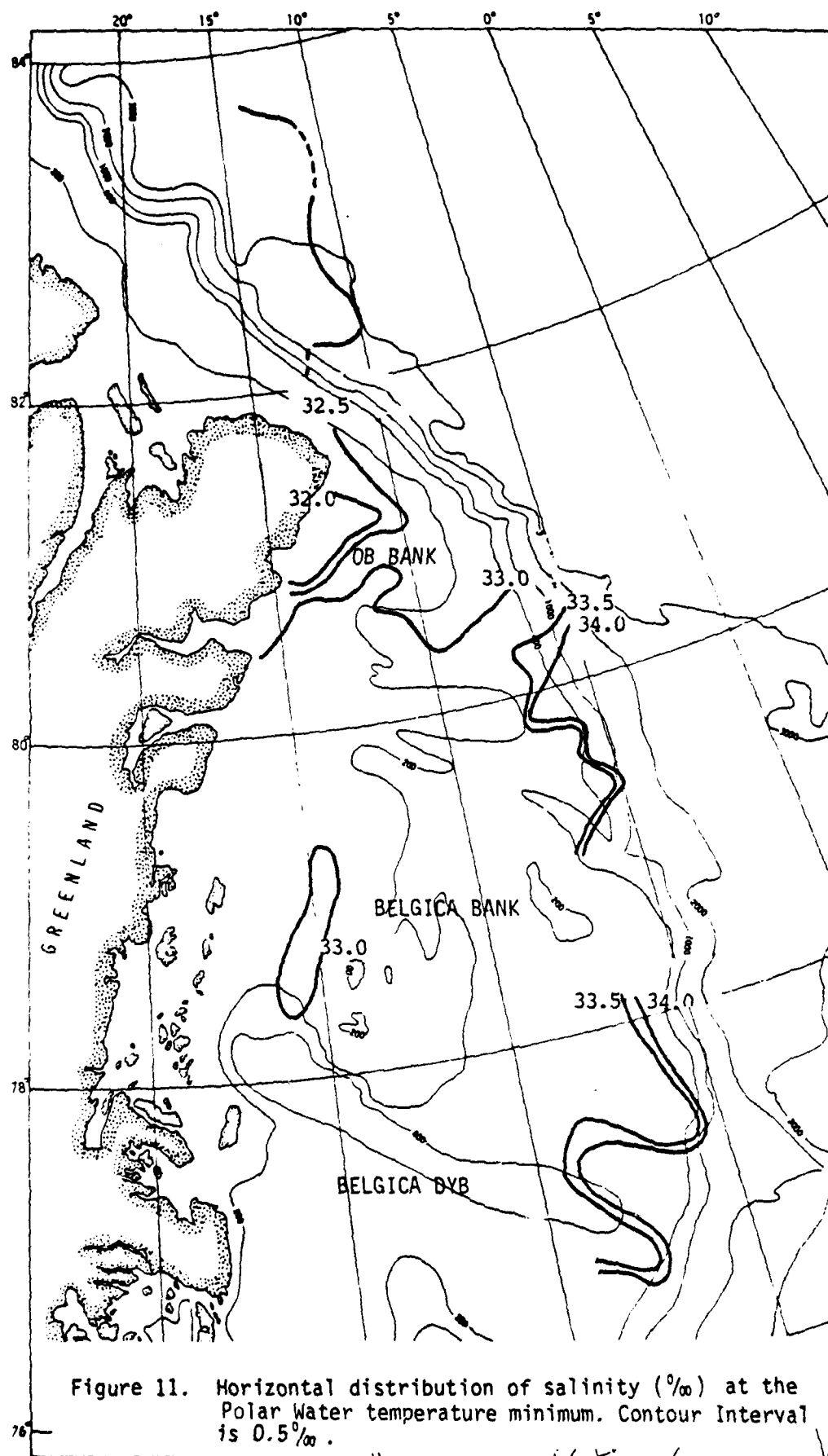


Figure 9. Temperature-salinity characteristics of the Polar Water temperature minimum. The different symbols indicate the geographic regions as follows: (●) stations north of Nord, (△) stations on the East Greenland Shelf, (▽) East Greenland Current south of Nord, (▽) Ob Bank. The Freezing point line is from Reference 5.





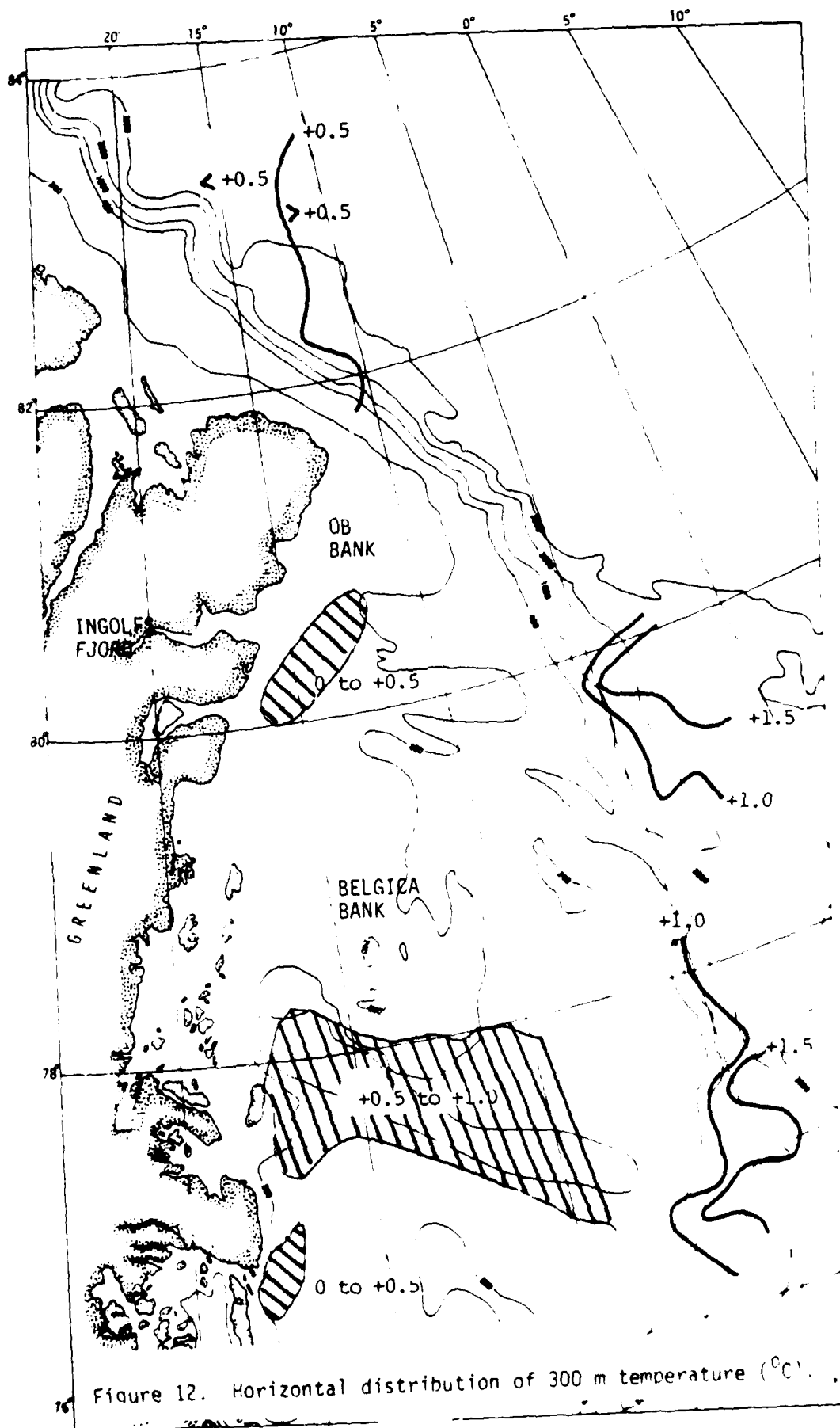
Current crossing at 79°N showed evidence of two minimums suggesting a lateral exchange across the transition regions.

4.2.4 Atlantic Intermediate Water

Atlantic Intermediate Water lies below the Polar Water and is readily identified by its positive subsurface temperatures which usually attain a maximum between 200 and 400 m. Figure 12 shows the horizontal distribution of the temperature at 300 m. On-shelf stations in regions where the depth exceeded 300 m are hatched and the 300 m temperature is indicated. In the off-shelf region north of Nord, 300 m temperatures fell within a narrow range of +0.33 to +0.61°C. In the off-shelf region south of Nord a much greater range of 300 m temperatures is evident: from a minimum of +0.62 to a maximum of +1.87°C. The 300 m isotherm patterns in the East Greenland Current south of Nord suggest the intrusion of rather warm (and also saline) water from the east into the Atlantic Intermediate Layer from the vicinity of 80°N south to at least 77°N. Presumably, this is evidence of the influence of the Return Atlantic Current, which originates as a westward branch of the West Spitzbergen Current.

Positive 300 m temperatures were found through the length of Belgica Dyb. These temperatures tended to decrease from nearly +1.0°C at the seaward entrance to the Dyb to less than +0.5°C at its shoreward end.

Two other near-shore regions within the survey area had depths of greater than 300 m; one extending north and south of the shoreward end of Belgica Dyb, and the other near the mouth of Ingolfs Fjord centered at about 80°-15'N, 14°-00'W. The 300 m temperatures were positive within these areas. Bathymetric data collected during the cruise indicates that the near-shore region south of Belgica Dyb with 300 m temperatures of about +0.4°C is connected to the shoreward end of the Dyb via an alongshore trough with depths in excess of 250 m. This alongshore trough also extends north to about 79°-30'N where depths shoal to 150 to 200 m. The region of positive 300 m temperatures (+0.2 to +0.4°C) off Ingolfs Fjord is bathymetrically connected to



offshelf waters via two potential paths; one north of Belgica Bank (250 to 300 m depth minimum) or south to Belgica Dyb (150 to 200 m depth minimum).

It appears that the Atlantic Intermediate water is not confined to the off-shelf deeper waters but spreads across the shelf via deep water paths into very near-shore troughs which tend to parallel the coastline. Two potential paths are Belgica Dyb and a trough north of Belgica Bank off Ingolfs Fjord.

4.3 Vertical Sections

4.3.1 Introduction

This section presents a few preliminary vertical cross sections of temperature and salinity across the Polar Front, along Belgica Dyb and in the trough north of Belgica Bank. These regions and the associated stations were chosen to identify some features of particular interest which will merit further analysis.

4.3.2 Polar Front

Two sets of stations were used to construct vertical sections across the East Greenland Current. Stations 1 through 9, occupied during the period 1600Z 19 August to 1445Z 20 August 1979, form an east-west line (line B, Fig. 4) along latitude $79^{\circ}05'N$. A second east-west line, located 120 km south along $78^{\circ}N$, is made up of Stations 230 through 235 (line A, Fig 4) taken from 1100Z to 2330Z on 24 September 1979. Both sections are fairly synoptic, have a station spacing of about 15 km and profile the Polar Water to a depth of 300 m from the eastern current boundary shoreward to about the 200 m curve.

The temperature and salinity cross sections along $78^{\circ}N$ are shown in Figures 13 and 14. Temperatures at the eastern-most station (235) were positive except for a thin layer between 40 and 50 m with negative temperatures, perhaps indicative of an eastward intrusion of cold Polar Water.

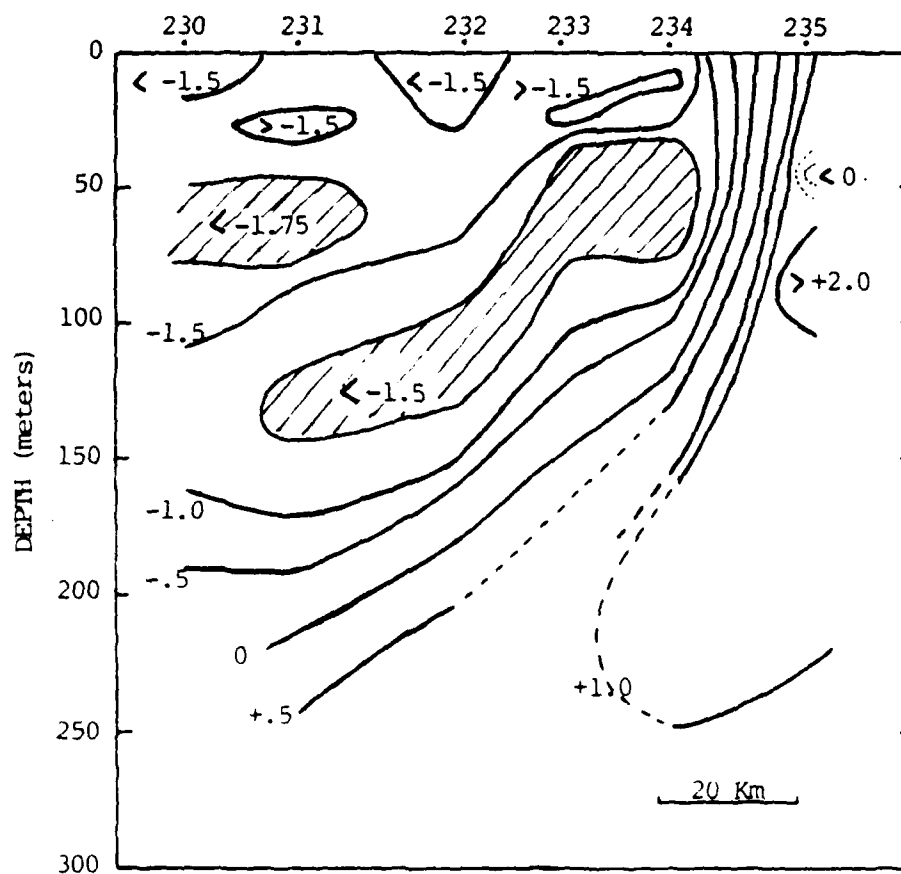


Figure 13. Vertical distribution of temperature ($^{\circ}\text{C}$) across the East Greenland Current at about 78°N , from 0° to 7°W . Line A, Figure 4.

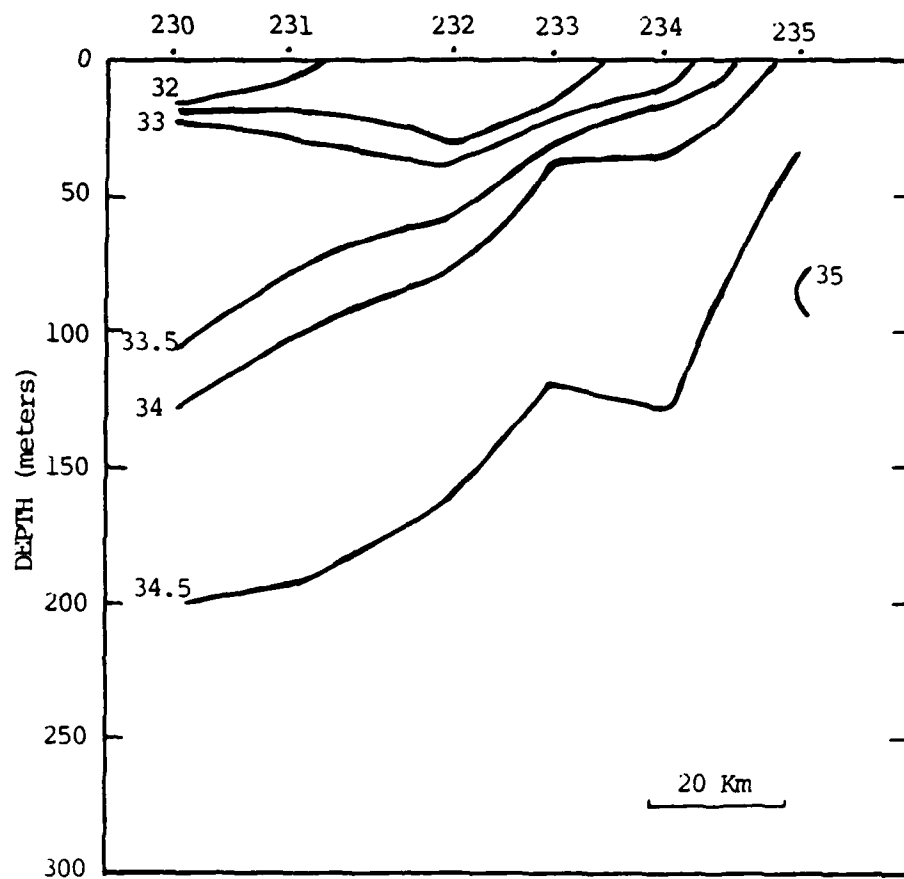


Figure 14. Vertical distribution of salinity (‰) across the East Greenland Current at about 78°N from 0° to 7° W. Line A, Figure 4.

The remaining stations (230 through 234) were within the East Greenland Current with significant amounts of sub-zero water. The eastern boundary of the East Greenland Current lies between Stations 234 and 235, and as noted by AAGAARD and COACHMAN (Reference 4) is approximately coincident with the location where the 0°C isotherm and 34.5‰ isohaline shoal through 50 m. The 20 km region between stations 234 and 235 contains the Polar Front across which the near-surface water mass properties change from cold and relatively fresh to rather warm and saline. The Polar Water Layer ($T < 0^{\circ}\text{C}$, $S < 34.5\text{‰}$) increases in thickness westward across the current from nominally 50 m between Stations 234 and 235 to in excess of 200 m at station 231, a distance of about 60 km. The slope of this boundary ($T = 0^{\circ}\text{C}$, $S = 34.5\text{‰}$) is approximately 3.3 m per km over most of the width of the current, but must become significantly greater near the eastern edge.

The temperature in Figure 13 is contoured in greater detail in the upper layers to show some of the important features of the hydrographic structure. Temperature-salinity plots were used as an aid in constructing the temperature section so that the maxima/minima contoured as continuous features across two or more stations do have similar T-S characteristics. Near surface temperature maxima occur at 3 stations (231, 233 and 234). The maxima ranged from -1.35 to -1.00°C and occurred coincident with the 33.0‰ isohaline (32.9 to 33.1‰). Two relative minima are indicated in Figure 13. The first occurs between 50 and 80 m at Stations 230 and 231, located at the western end of the section near the shelf. The characteristics of the minimum are temperature less than -1.75°C and salinity in the range 33.25 to 33.35‰ ; identical to the Polar Water minimum characteristics found on the continental shelf (sec. 4.2.3). A second, deeper relative minimum extends across Stations 231 through 234. This minimum has temperatures less than -1.5°C and salinities in the 34.1 to 34.3‰ range. This is the high salinity minimum discussed in section 4.2.3 and associated with the off-shelf stations of the East Greenland Current south of Nord. Proceeding toward the shelf, the deeper, higher salinity temperature minimum slopes downward from nominally 50 m at Station 234 to 130 m at Station 231 where it underlies the colder, less saline, shelf associated temperature minimum.

From Station 3 westward to Station 9, near the shelf break, the temperature and salinity cross section at 79°N (Figures 15 and 16) displays many of the same characteristics as the section located farther south at 78°N and occupied a month later. The Polar Front and the eastern boundary of the current occur between Stations 3 and 4 with the transition from warm saline to colder fresher waters taking place over a distance of less than 20 km. Station 4, which may represent conditions in the transition region, shows strong evidence of lateral interaction with three significant temperature inversions ranging from 0.5 to greater than 1.5°C. As before, two distinct temperature minima can be discerned. A minimum of less than -1.75°C is coherent across Stations 5 through 8 with corresponding salinities in the 34.2 to 34.35‰ range, similar to the deep saline temperature minima identified in the 78°N cross section. A second temperature minimum of less than -1.75°C and salinity of 33.25 to 33.75‰ lies above the deep minimum at Stations 5, 6, 8 and 9.

An interesting feature of this particular section is the subsurface core of relatively cold water (less than -1.0°C) lying east of Station 3 (which had positive temperatures to depths in excess of 350 m and presumably marked the eastern boundary of the current). This phenomena has been observed and described earlier by AAGARD and COACHMAN (Reference 4) based on stations taken in 1965 which were interestingly, but perhaps only coincidentally, located within a few miles of this section. They ascribed the presence of this cold core to an eddy or meander which displaced a parcel of Polar Water eastward of the Polar Front boundary. Although only located 30 to 40 km from the East Greenland current in this case, the cold core has characteristics which are both similar and different to the water mass within the current. The cold core is located at a depth of about 50 to 60 m with a temperature of about -1.4°C and salinity in the 34.2 to 34.4‰ range. Thus, the cold core salinity is similar to the deeper, more saline temperature minimum within the current and its temperature is about 0.3 to 0.4°C higher. In contrast, the cold core at stations 1 and 2 displays none of the characteristics of the shallower, less saline (~ 33.5‰) cold waters which occupy the upper 50 meters or so of the East Greenland Current. This suggests that either the mixing in the near-surface layers had destroyed the surface manifestation of the current or

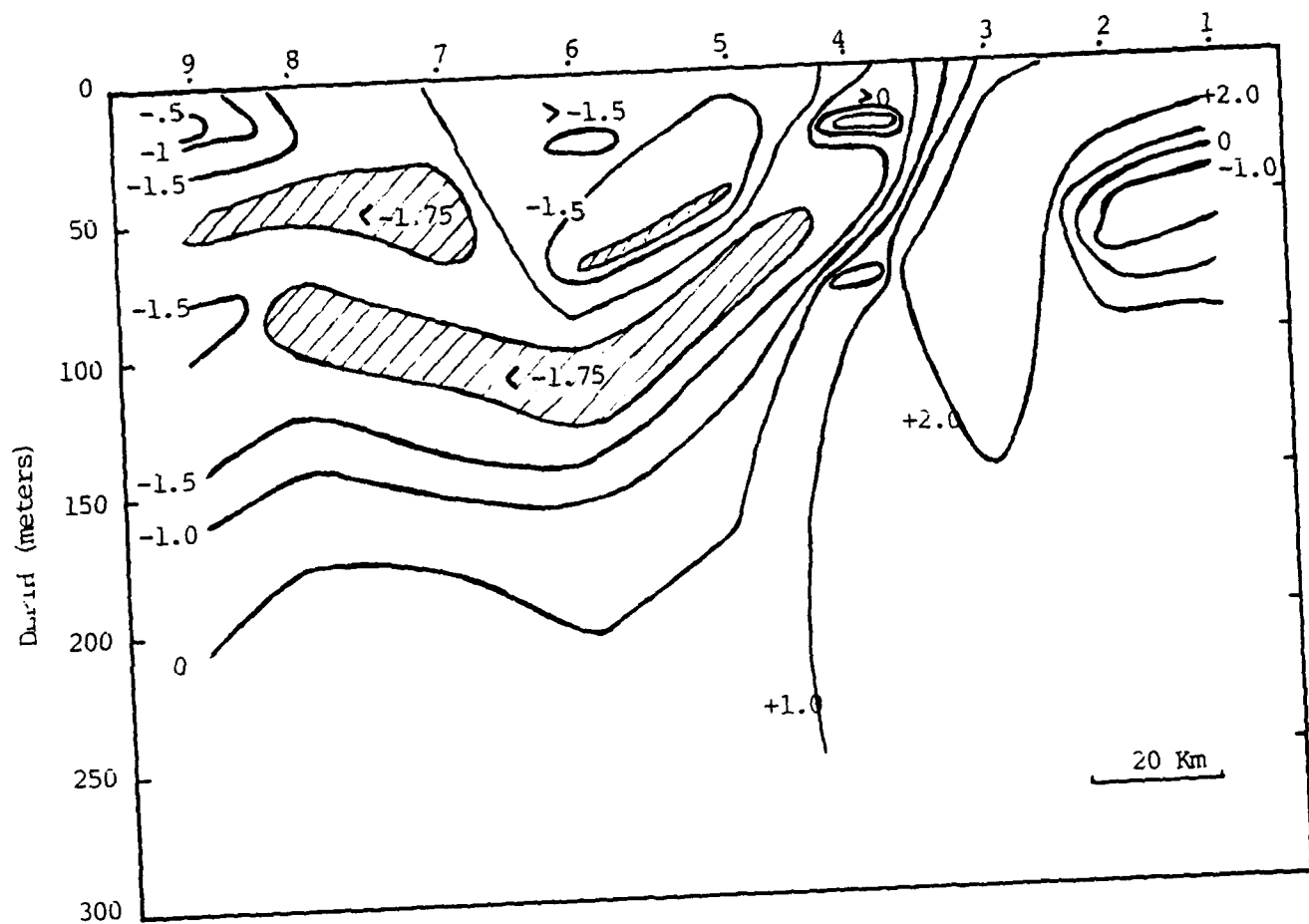


Figure 15. Vertical distribution of temperature (°C) across the East Greenland Current at about 79°N. Line B, Figure 4.

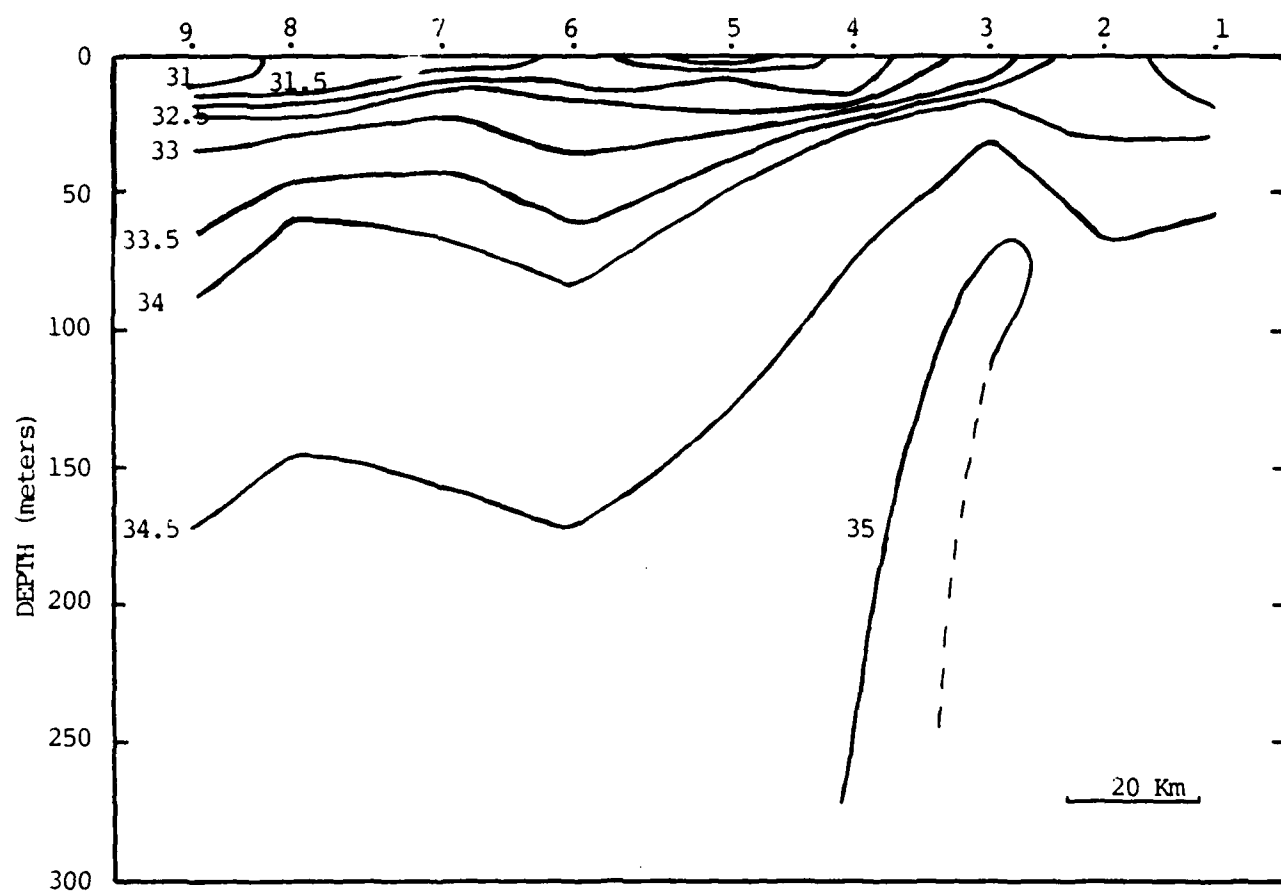


Figure 16. Vertical distribution of salinity (‰) across the East Greenland Current at about 79°N.

perhaps the meander or lateral exchange mechanism occurs below the pycnocline which, at Station 4, is located between 15 and 30 m.

4.3.3 Belgica Dyb

Temperature and salinity cross sections were constructed along Belgica Dyb (Figures 17 and 18) using data from Stations 167, 193, 195, 196, 199, 202, 207, 211, 215, and 225 along line C, Fig. 4. Station 167 was taken on 16 September while the remaining stations were occupied during the period 2000Z 20 September through 2300Z 23 September 1979. The stations were selected to show the vertical temperature and salinity distributions along the axis of the Dyb from the near-shore region (Station 167) seaward across the East Greenland Current and Polar Front (Station 225). The isolines demarking the Polar Water (0°C and 34.5‰) dip sharply from near 50 m to about 200 m on crossing the Polar Front and East Greenland Current from east to west (Stations 225 to 207) as noted in previous cross-sections. The 0°C and 34.5‰ isolines continue to deepen, but at a slower rate, proceeding shoreward along the Dyb, reaching 250 m or more at the near-shore end of the section. The wave-like pattern of the isolines superimposed on the general trend of deepening-to-shoreward may partially result from cross-channel variability as the stations are not necessarily exactly on the Dyb axis. The detailed structure of the Polar Water in the Dyb shows some similar characteristics to that of the East Greenland Current. For example, two temperature minimum layers can be discerned; a near-surface minimum with temperatures less than -1.75°C and salinities in the range of 33.0 to 33.3‰ and a deeper, more saline minimum of less than -1.5°C . The low salinity temperature minimum, characteristic of the shelf, is found at the shoreward end of the Dyb and can be traced east to station 202. The deeper, higher salinity temperature minimum appears at the seaward end of the Dyb, extending west to station 196.

The near-surface waters at the shoreward end of the Dyb are relatively fresh (less than 32‰) and are often vertically homogeneous. There is a sharp halocline, and thus a sharp pycnocline at 25 to 40 m where salinities typically increase 1.5‰ over a 10 to 15 m depth increment. A

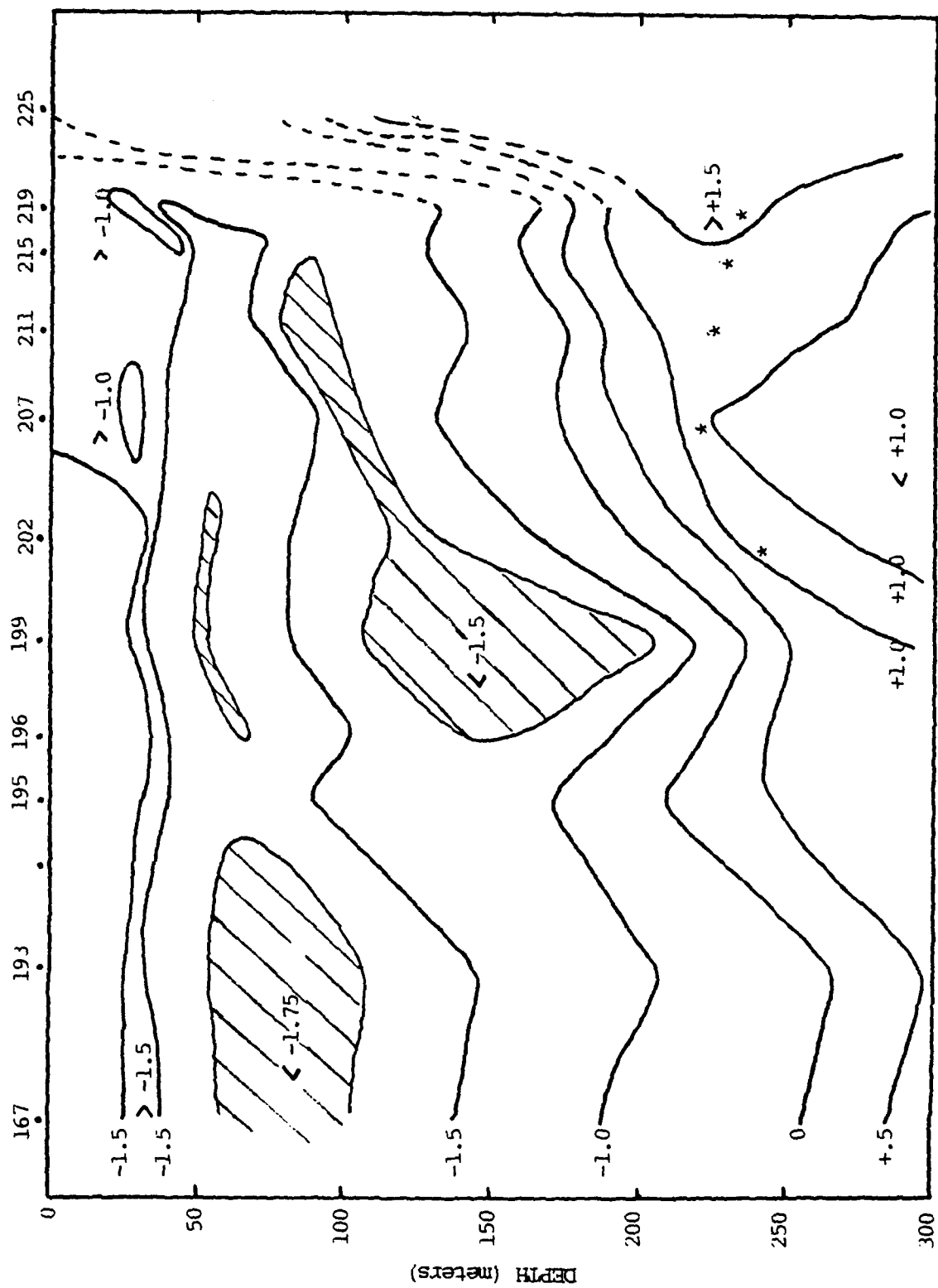


Figure 17. Vertical distribution of temperature (°C) along Belgica Dyb. Temperature maximums are indicated by *.

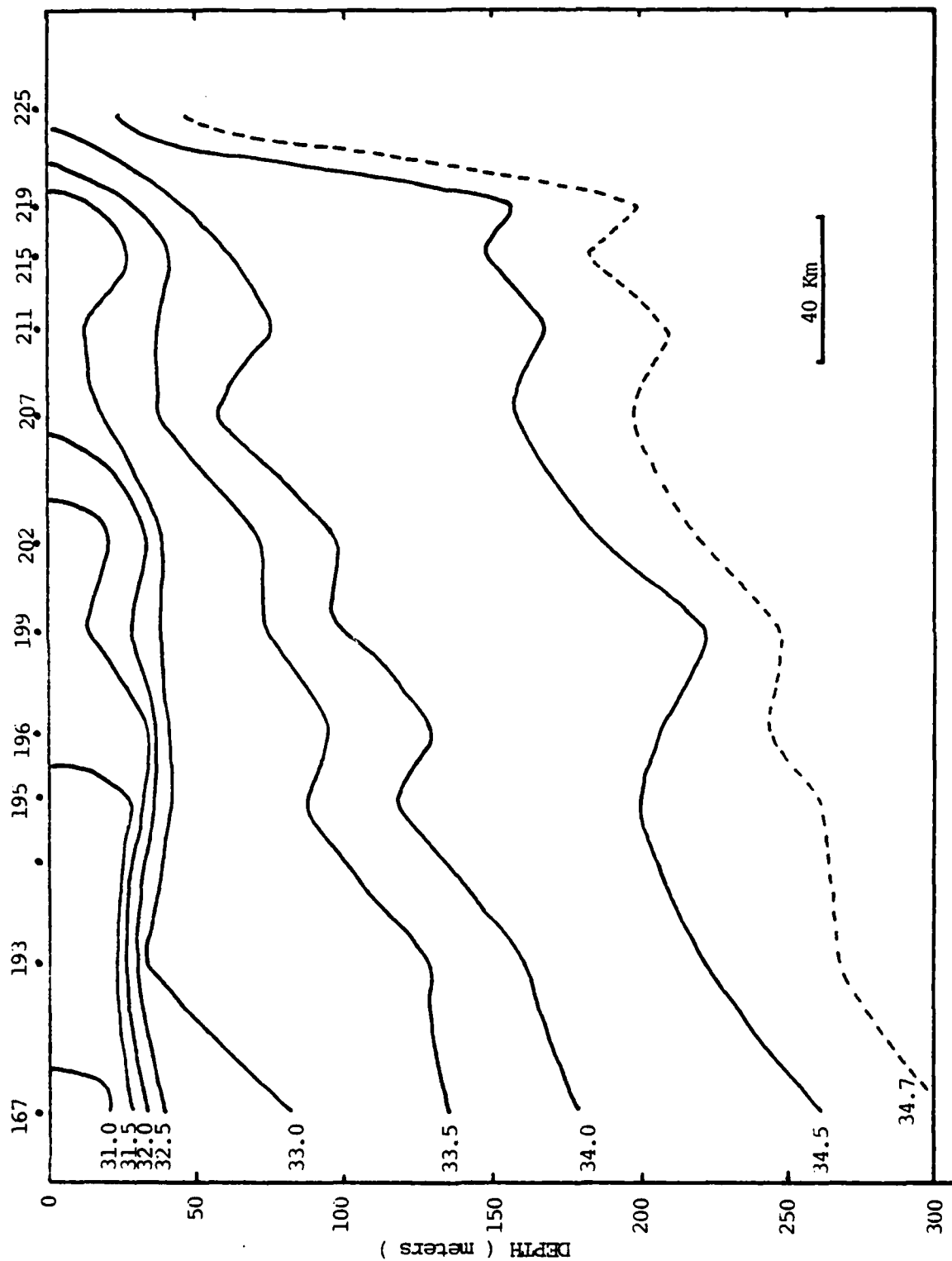


Figure 18. Vertical distribution of salinity (‰) along Belgica Dyb. Line C, Figure 4.

relative temperature maxima ($T > -1.5^{\circ}\text{C}$) is associated with the pycnocline region. The characteristics of the upper 50 m change significantly between station 202 and 207. Proceeding seaward, surface temperature increases by 0.2°C and salinity increases by about 1.0‰ .

Below the Polar Water, warm water (greater than $+0.5^{\circ}\text{C}$) is found throughout the length of the Dyb. Profiles at Station 202 and seaward show a temperature maximum between 100 and 200 m which is indicated in Figure 17. It appears that fairly warm water, in excess of $+1.0^{\circ}\text{C}$, presumably from the Return Atlantic Current, is passing under the East Greenland Current and moving up the Dyb to at least Station 199.

4.3.4 North of Belgica Bank

The section along the axis of the trough north of Belgica Bank, line D, Fig. 4, was constructed from Stations 13, 19, 22, 23, 26, 29, 35, 42 and 49 taken between 0800Z 21 August and 2130Z 26 August 1979. The section extends from near the center of the East Greenland Current along a northwesterly line toward Ingolfs Fjord. As evident in Figures 6, 7, 10, and 11 there is a significant cross channel variability in surface layer and Polar Water properties in this region which is reflected in Figures 19 and 20 by the very wavy nature of the isolines. The depth of this trough is generally 300 m, about 100 to 150 m shallower than Belgica Dyb. The 0°C and 34.5‰ isolines deepen somewhat proceeding shoreward along the trough but to a depth of only about 200 m compared with 250 m in Belgica Dyb. Positive near-bottom temperatures are evident through the trough, but significant maxima (greater than $+0.75^{\circ}\text{C}$) penetrate only to Station 22.

The deeper, more saline temperature minimum can be seen extending between Stations 13 and 22. Two stations (35 and 23) show the lower salinity temperature minimum characteristics of the shelf locations; than -1.75°C with corresponding salinities of 33.25 to 33.3‰ . It is possible that these low salinity minima originated from the shallower areas southwest of the trough (also see Figures 10 and 11). At both Station 23 and 35, the low salinity

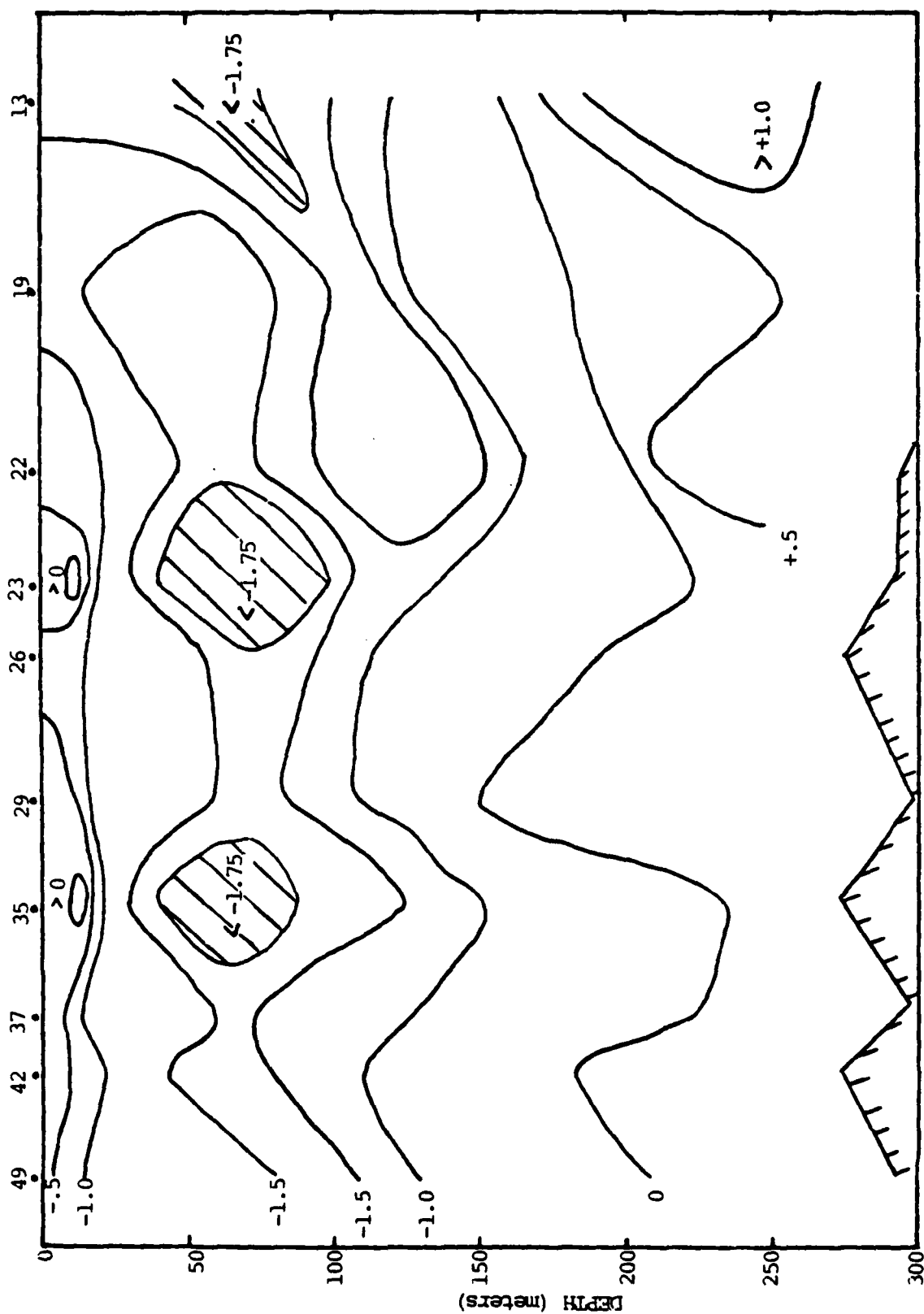


Figure 19. Vertical distribution of temperature ($^{\circ}\text{C}$) along the trough north of Belgica Bank. Line 0, Figure 4.

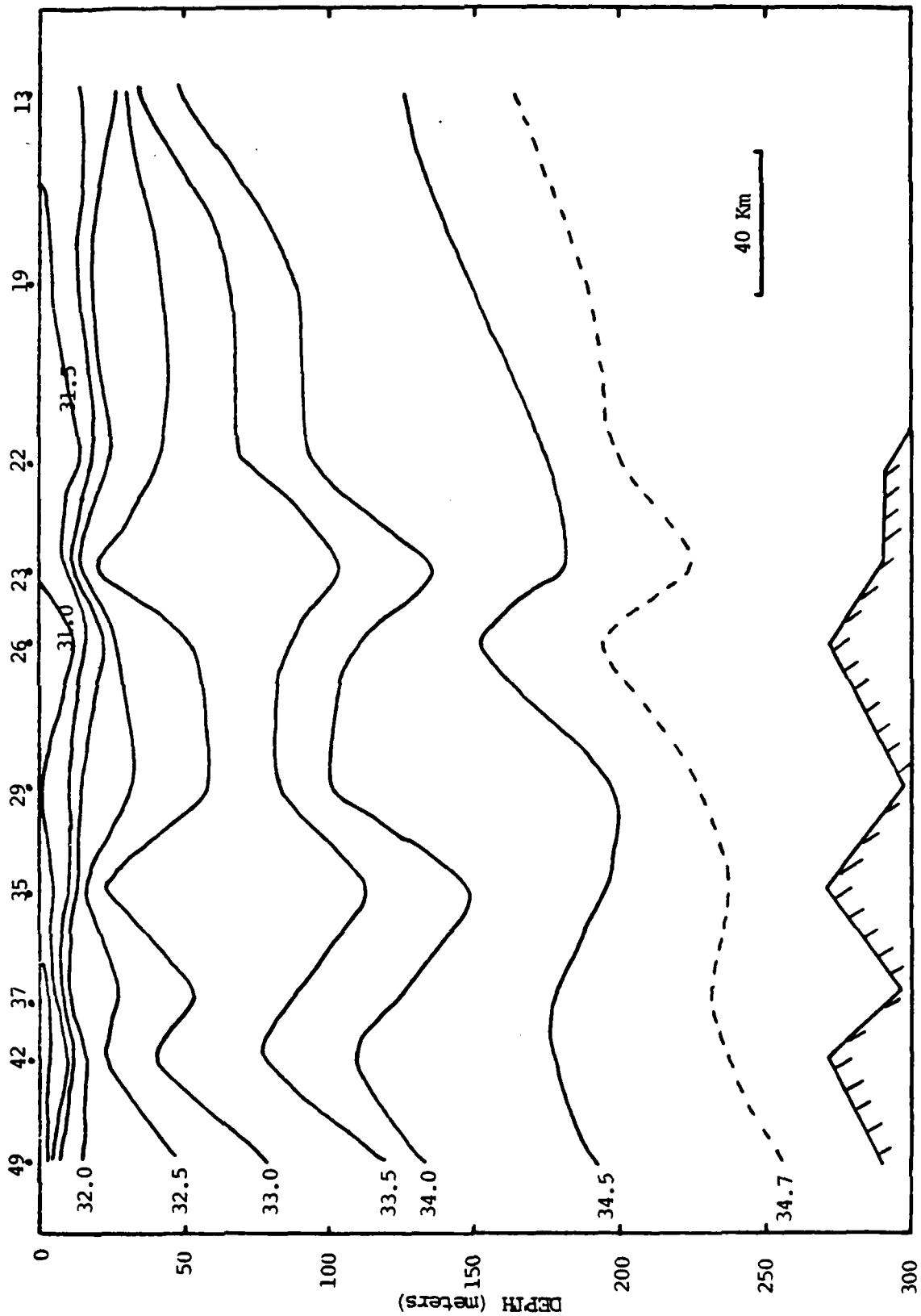


Figure 20. Vertical distribution of salinity (‰) along the trough north of Belgica Bank. Line D, Figure 4.

minima are reflected in the salinity (density) structure as a depression in the isohalines below the minimum (salinity 33.5‰ and greater) and an elevation in the 33.0‰ isohaline.

4.4 Sound Speed Structure

4.4.1 Introduction

The preceding sections, which discussed the physical oceanographic characteristics observed during this cruise, indicated four general sub-regions of the study area within which the temperature-salinity structure tended to be fairly coherent. It follows that the sound speed profiles will be similar within each sub-region. The following sections discuss the general sound speed profile characteristics for each of the four regions and qualitatively describes some of the detailed structure which appeared to be of operational significance and common to several stations. This does not imply that these features are predictable, as little is known about seasonal and year-to-year variability.

The speed of sound in seawater is a function of the temperature, salinity and pressure (depth). For the temperature-salinity range encountered in this region, sound speed will increase about 4.6 m/sec per °C, 1.4 m/sec per ‰ and 1.7 m/sec per 100 m depth increase. Temperature is usually the predominant factor, however salinity will be important in upper layers of the near-shore region and the pressure (depth) term exerts the major influence in the deeper less variable waters.

A typical, smooth, arctic sound speed profile has a minimum at or near the surface with sound speed generally increasing with depth. This results in refractive upward sound propagation paths. Thus, long range, low frequency propagation is via a half deep sound channel with its axis at or near the ocean surface. Perturbations superimposed on this average profile often appear as positive anomalies of limited vertical extent. For example, Station 20 (Appendix A) shows the "half channel" profile with a minimum at the surface

and a positive anomaly of about 4 m/sec between 10 and 25 m. The impact of these anomalies can be estimated from Snells Law. For a source positioned below such a positive anomaly of 2 m/sec in magnitude, rays emanating at an angle of 3° or less from the source will be refracted down by the feature and not reach the surface. For a 4 m/sec positive anomaly, 5° or less rays will be refracted downward. For a source located below a 4 m/sec anomaly such as in Station 20, with a typical positive sound speed gradient below, a subsurface sound channel will exist capable of trapping rays in the 5° cone. These effects are of particular importance to tactical, weapon, and navigation sonar frequencies.

4.4.2 Regional Sound Speed Profiles

Figure 21 compares sound speed profiles from four subregions of the study area which are outlined in Figure 22. Station 72 is typical of the sound speed profiles within Region I which includes stations in the East Greenland Current along the shelf break north of Nord. Sound speed is minimum at the surface and increases monotonically and rather smoothly with depth. The vertical gradient is highest in the 100 to 200 m depth range which corresponds to the transition from the cold Polar to the underlying warmer Atlantic Intermediate Water. Station 165, on the shelf west of Belgica Bank and typical of Region II, is also a fairly smooth profile with the sound speed minimum at the surface. A homogeneous layer of low salinity surface water results in an enhanced vertical sound speed gradient at about 35 m. Sound speed profiles in Region III, the East Greenland Current south of Nord, show more structure (Station 7) and, overall, have a rougher appearance. The influence of the relatively warm water of the Return Atlantic Current at about 250 m often produces a relative sound speed maxima within the Atlantic Intermediate Water layer. Station 3 is probably typical of the sound speed profiles east of the Polar Front (Region IV). In the depth region from about 50 m to about 300 m or more, the depth and temperature effects are canceling which results in a nearly isovelocity layer. Near-surface cooling produces a minima which is underlain by a sharp positive gradient region.

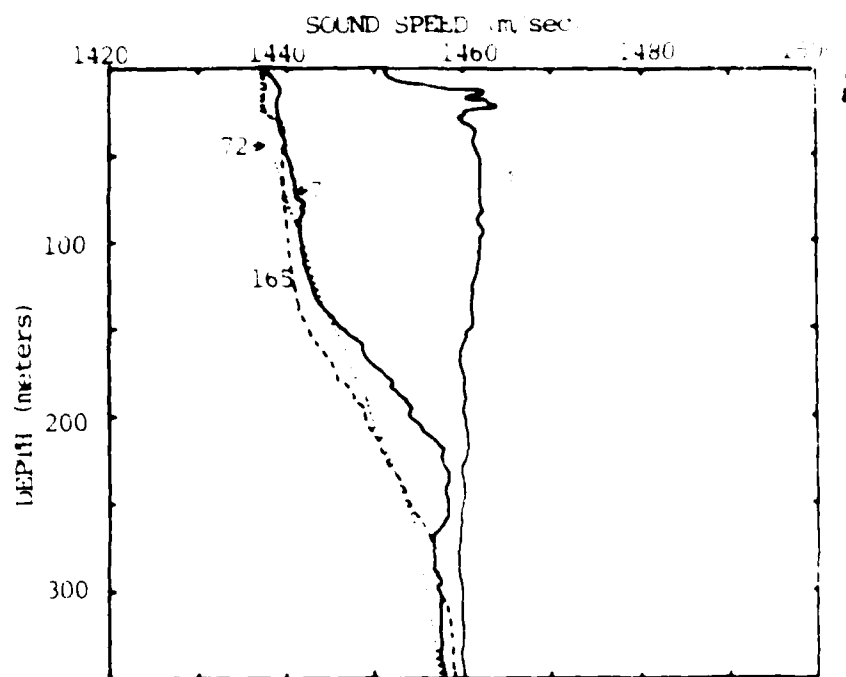


Figure 21. Comparison of sound speed profiles at Stations 3 (Greenland Sea), 7 (East Greenland Current), 165 (East Greenland Shelf) and 72 (East Greenland Current north of Nord).

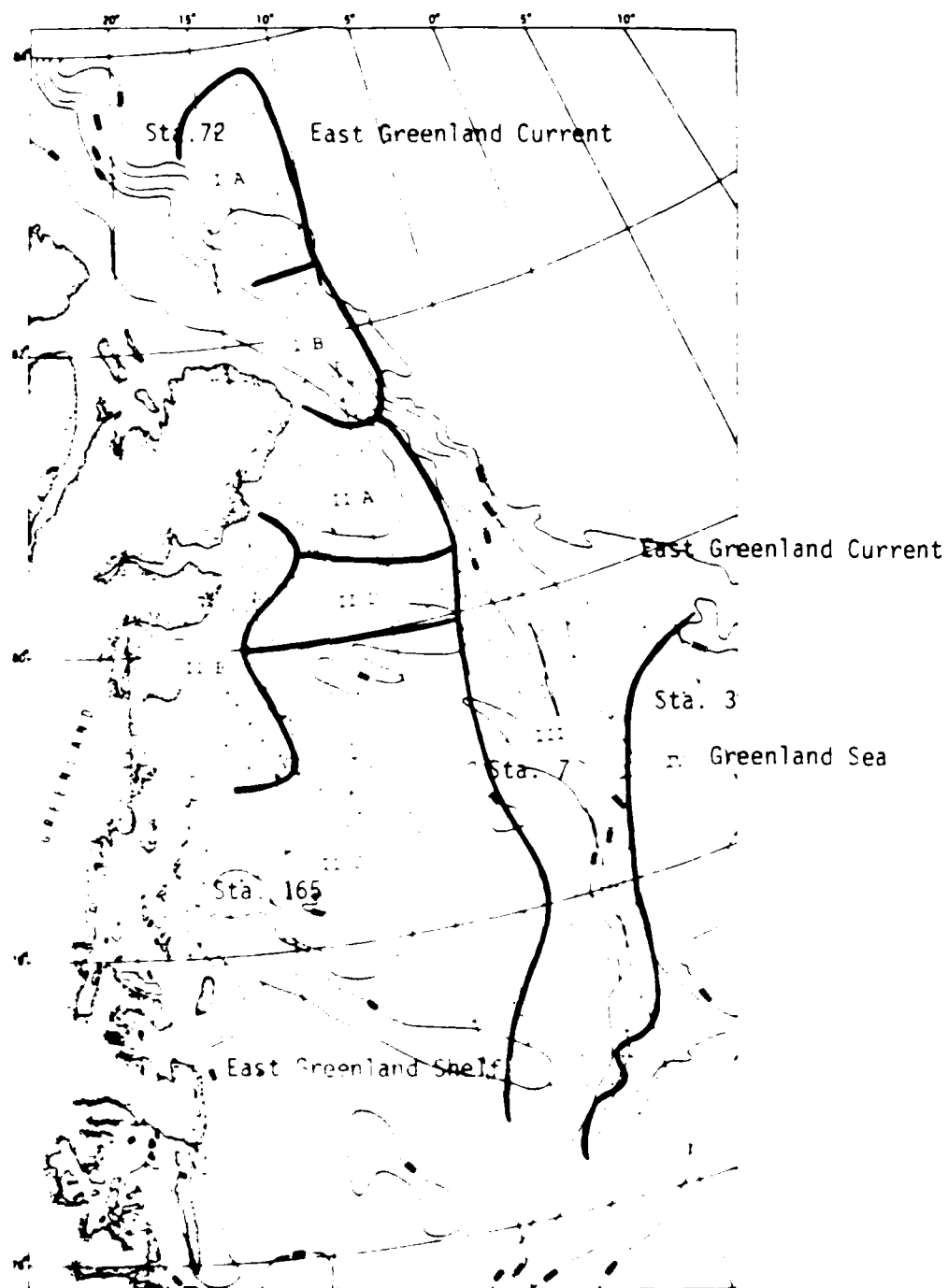


Figure 22. Subregions of the study area for sound speed profile discussion.

The most striking feature of these regional profiles is the difference in the upper layers between Station 3 (Region IV) and the remaining profiles. For example, the sound speed difference between Station 3 and the East Greenland Current profiles typified by Station 7 is in excess of 20 m/sec at the 50 m depth. As this transition takes place across the Polar Front which is very narrow (less than 15 km), a sonar platform will pass quickly from conditions typical of Station 3 to those of Station 7.

4.4.3 Detailed Structure

Superimposed on the basic regional sound speed profiles described above were certain smaller scale features which appeared to occur at several stations and, further, seemed to be of operational importance. These were examined in a qualitative manner by tabulating the positive anomalies of greater than 1 m/sec from the sound speed profiles. On a region by region basis, stations with a particular characteristic anomaly were identified. Persistent and similar anomalies often seemed to form subclasses of the basic profiles. These regions are sketched in Figure 22 and the anomalies are discussed below.

Within Region I, the East Greenland Current north of Nord, two subsets were identified (Figure 22). Within Subregion IA all profiles had a minimum at the surface. Proceeding south toward Ob Bank, Region IB profiles displayed a subsurface sound speed minima at 40 to 50 m, a result of near-surface warming in this region (Figure 6) which elevated the sound speed at the surface by 2-4 m/sec. In subregion IB, rays directed upward at less than 3 to 5° from the horizontal would not reach the water-ice surface. A sound channel centered at about 40 m is formed which can trap a ± 3 to $\pm 5^\circ$ cone of sound energy which would not interact with the underside of the ice.

Within Region II, the Continental Shelf area, four subregions having persistent structural features were identified. Subregion IIA covers the shallow area of Ob Bank and the Northern half of the trough between Belgica and Ob Bank. No significant anomalous features were identified in this region.

Apparently, lateral interaction of water masses in this area is minimized or perhaps enhanced vertical mixing in the shallows of Ob Bank effectively destroys such features.

Subregion IIB profiles are confined to the near-shore area, and display a strong near-surface positive gradient. Station 94 (Appendix) is an example of detailed sound speed structure in this region. At stations within IIB, the effect of the very low, near-surface salinities (28 to 30‰) overcome the warm temperature influence which results in a very low surface sound speed and thus a high positive gradient in the upper few meters.

Stations within Subregion IIC had a fairly homogeneous low salinity surface layer. The impact on the sound speed profile is typified by station 137 (Appendix). From the minimum at the surface to about 30-40 m, sound speed increases mainly as a function of pressure (depth). At the halocline, sound speed increases rather abruptly by 2-4 m/sec. A slight temperature maximum associated with the halocline often results in a positive anomaly of 1-2 m/sec at 30-40 m.

Subregion IID profiles typically displayed a surface or near-surface maximum of 1.5 to 4 m/sec. As discussed above, such near-surface maxima can refract energy down, preventing sound from reaching the ice and if a positive gradient exists at depth may form a subsurface sound channel free from ice-sound interactions.

Region III encompasses the East Greenland Current south of Nord. Discussions in the previous section indicated that this is an area of complex lateral water mass interaction. This is reflected in the sound speed profiles. Station 12 (Appendix) displays several sound speed anomalies at various depths. These include: 1) near-surface warming which increases the surface velocity, 2) a temperature-sound speed maxima at 40 m, 3) various maxima/minima at 100-125 m in the depth region of the high salinity temperature minima, and 4) maxima associated with the warmer Return Atlantic Current between 200 and 270 m. Most profiles with Region III show at least one or two of these anomalies.

Region IV, the transition area between the East Greenland Current and the Greenland Sea Water masses has the most significant anomalies of any of the areas. Along this boundary, which is basically the region of the Polar Front, anomalies in the near surface waters greater than 5 m/sec occur at each station.

4.5 Summary of Preliminary Oceanographic Results

The near-surface horizontal temperature and salinity distributions (Figures 6 and 7) suggest a westward surface flow across the continental shelf south of Belgica Bank (over Belgica Dyb between 77°N and 78°N) and an eastward surface flow north of Belgica Bank between 80°N and 81°N. These distributions are thus consistent with an anticyclonic surface flow around Belgica Bank. Warm ($> 0^{\circ}\text{C}$) deep water appears to move shoreward along Belgica Dyb (Figure 17) and perhaps north of Belgica Bank (Figure 19) and is found in the deep along-shore troughs (Figure 12).

Polar Water temperature minimum characteristics, while uniform within local geographic areas, showed significant large scale variations (Figure 8 through 11). Particular differences could be found between the continental shelf area and the East Greenland Current north and south of Nord. Sections across the East Greenland Current (i.e. Figures 15 through 18) indicate that often two of these minima can be identified and that they are coherent over several stations.

Gross sound speed structure appears uniform over fairly large geographic regions (Figures 20 and 21). Even small scale anomalies, such as associated with temperature inversions, were often coherent over several 100's of km.

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Appendix A: Station Data and Vertical Profiles of Temperature, Salinity, Sound Speed and Sigma-T.

STATION NUMBER: A sequential numerical identification of CTD stations. The suffix A, B, C, etc. indicate successive, CTD casts at the same station (location) for sensor inter comparisons. The suffix H indicates that the cast was taken from the helicopters.

DATE/TIME: Greenwich Mean Time of station.

POSITION: In degrees - minutes and tenths of minutes.

DEPTH: Water depth in meters.

WIND: Dir: In $^{\circ}$ T SPD: In knots

BAR: Barometric pressure in millibars

AIR TEMP: In $^{\circ}$ C.

CLOUDS: Total cloud amount in eighths.

VISIBILITY: Coded Visibility

90: less than 50 yds.
91: 50 to 200 yds.
92: 200 yds. to 1/4 n. mi.
93: 1/4 to 1/2 n. mi.
94: 1/2 to 1 n. mi.

95: 1 - 2 n. mi.
96: 2 to 5 n. mi.
97: 5 to 10 n. mi.
98: 10 to 25 n. mi.
99: 25 n. mi. or more

2. Explanation of Vertical Property Profiles

The stations are presented in numerical order. The Date-Time (GMT), Station Number, Position and Bottom Depth are repeated at the top of each figure. Values versus depth (in meters) are plotted as follows:

T: Temperature ($^{\circ}$ C)
V: Sound Speed (m/sec); WILSON, 1960 (Reference 3)
S: Salinity ($^{\circ}$ $_{\infty}$)
D: Sigma -T.

APPENDIX A
PART I

CTD STATION DATA

CTD STATION DATA; ARCTIC EAST 1979

USCGC WESTWIND

STATION NUMBER	DATE	TIME (GMT)	POSITION		DEPTH (m)	WIND DIR SPD		BAR	AIR TEMP	CLOUD	VIS
1	19 Aug 79	1600	79-05.0N	00-00.0W	x	190	17	1020.4	3.6	8	95
2	19 Aug 79	1730	79-04.6N	00-46.1W	x	190	16	1020.3	5.3	8	96
3	19 Aug 79	1900	79-05.9N	01-32.2W	2597	185	15	1020.1	4.6	8	95
4	19 Aug 79	2000	79-05.1N	02-29.8W	2469	185	14	1019.9	4.1	8	94
5	19 Aug 79	2300	79-03.9N	03-18.6W	2249	180	13	1019.0	1.2	8	93
6	20 Aug 79	0315	79-03.3N	04-23.3W	1737	180	13	1018.1	1.0	8	93
7	20 Aug 79	0525	79-02.4N	05-18.2W	1170	180	13	1017.2	0.9	9	93
8	20 Aug 79	1120	79-05.8N	06-16.6W	440	180	7	1018.1	2.9	9	92
9	20 Aug 79	1445	79-06.3N	06-57.9W	238	185	9	1018.4	1.7	9	93
10	20 Aug 79	1845	79-10.6N	06-11.1W	411	190	11	1018.6	0.6	8	93
11	21 Aug 79	0225	79-18.3N	05-19.3W	951	135	7	1019.6	0.8	9	93
12	21 Aug 79	0350	79-22.4N	05-10.0W	1189	135	7	1019.3	1.2	9	92
13	21 Aug 79	0810	79-30.3N	03-54.8W	1975	130	9	1019.4	1.0	9	92
14	21 Aug 79	1225	79-32.8N	03-11.3W	2251	120	12	1020.0	0.2	9	92
15	21 Aug 79	1717	79-32.7N	01-10.9W	2745	130	8	1020.1	0.6	9	92
16	22 Aug 79	0715	79-49.2N	02-50.9W	2688	190	11	1019.0	1.8	9	93
17	22 Aug 79	1305	79-44.1N	03-41.1W	2140	200	10	1019.2	1.9	9	93
18A	22 Aug 79	1655	79-44.5N	04-37.8W	1463	185	8	1018.5	1.5	9	93
18B	22 Aug 79	1750	79-44.6N	04-36.2W	1463	180	7	1018.3	1.4	9	93
19	23 Aug 79	1041	79-37.0N	05-20.1W	759	210	7	1016.3	0.3	9	94
20	23 Aug 79	1315	79-38.9N	06-17.3W	293	210	7	1015.8	0.4	9	94
21	23 Aug 79	1646	79-46.2N	06-45.2W	421	180	6	1014.9	0.6	9	93
22	23 Aug 79	2035	79-55.3N	06-31.9W	293	205	8	1013.2	0.8	9	93
23	23 Aug 79	2355	80-07.7N	07-08.9W	293	230	10	1011.7	1.1	9	94
24	24 Aug 79	0230	80-23.0N	06-25.9W	289	215	10	1010.6	0.5	8	95

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25	24 Aug 79	0445	80-16.0N	07-00.8W	274	205	10	1009.9	0.2	8	95
26	24 Aug 79	0750	80-11.1N	07-59.3W	274	200	10	1009.7	-0.2	8	94
27	24 Aug 79	0913	80-05.8N	08-35.0W	219	200	10	1009.8	-0.2	8	94
28A	24 Aug 79	1100	80-02.6N	09-47.4W	86	200	10	1010.0	-0.4	9	93
28B	24 Aug 79	1115	80-02.6N	09-47.4W	86	200	10	1010.0	-0.4	9	93
29	24 Aug 79	1345	80-15.4N	09-23.3W	302	200	5	1010.6	-0.1	9	93
30	24 Aug 79	1624	80-28.6N	09-26.7W	238	-	0	1011.1	0.3	9	93
31	24 Aug 79	1800	80-23.7N	09-51.7W	238	-	0	1011.6	0.6	9	92
32	24 Aug 79	2005	80-33.3N	08-46.6W	260	-	0	1012.2	1.0	8	94
33	25 Aug 79	0000	80-41.1N	08-18.9W	46	-	0	1012.5	1.7	7	96
34	25 Aug 79	0810	80-26.0N	09-37.7W	265	340	6	1014.2	-1.7	3	96
35	25 Aug 79	1000	80-18.1N	10-26.3W	274	345	8	1015.0	-2.0	3	95
36	25 Aug 79	1140	80-11.8N	11-26.5W	141	350	9	1015.8	-2.3	0	94
37	25 Aug 79	1320	80-23.6N	11-19.2W	302	000	10	1016.0	-2.2	0	94
38	25 Aug 79	1509	80-33.6N	10-58.6W	265	030	11	1016.3	-2.0	8	95
39	25 Aug 79	1845	80-46.0N	10-00.0W	274	050	11	1016.9	-1.6	8	96
40	25 Aug 79	2232	80-42.5N	11-22.8W	110	-	0	1016.6	-1.6	2	95
41	26 Aug 79	0010	80-32.9N	11-46.1W	265	-	0	1016.5	-1.6	2	95
42A	26 Aug 79	0410	80-25.2N	11-58.7W	274	220	6	1016.2	-0.8	0	96
42B	26 Aug 79	0420	80-25.2N	11-58.7W	274	220	6	1016.2	-0.8	0	96
43A	26 Aug 79	0545	80-18.8	12-36.9	183	220	6	1016.1	-0.4	0	97
43B	26 Aug 79	0600	80-18.8	12-36.9	183	220	6	1016.1	-0.4	0	97
44	26 Aug 79	0810	80-27.0N	12-06.8W	265	210	6	1016.1	-0.3	0	97
45	26 Aug 79	1005	80-37.6N	11-58.7W	256	210	5	1016.1	-0.1	0	97
46	26 Aug 79	1145	80-42.2N	11-31.5W	155	200	5	1016.1	0.0	0	97

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47	26 Aug 79	1510	80-50.4N	10-56.7W	165	215	5	1016.0	0.5	0	98
48	26 Aug 79	2010	80-42.9N	11-23.6W	137	230	5	1016.3	0.3	0	98
49	26 Aug 79	2138	80-35.8N	12-23.9W	293	225	6	1016.5	-0.3	0	98
50	27 Aug 79	0106	80-24.7N	13-36.6W	274	225	5	1016.9	-1.2	2	98
51	27 Aug 79	0230	80-30.2N	14-25.2W	311	225	4	1017.1	-1.2	3	97
52	27 Aug 79	0535	80-35.1N	13-19.4W	256	230	1	1017.5	-1.3	3	97
53A	27 Aug 79	0830	80-45.9N	13-18.6W	132	310	4	1018.6	-1.3	3	97
53B	27 Aug 79	0840	80-45.9N	13-18.6W	132	310	4	1018.6	-1.3	3	97
54	27 Aug 79	1040	80-48.1N	12-48.1W	82	310	4	1019.0	-1.3	3	97
55	27 Aug 79	1300	80-55.6N	12-36.8W	44	310	2	1019.4	-1.3	7	97
56	27 Aug 79	1516	81-02.6N	11-41.8W	73	-	0	1019.0	1.4	7	97
57	27 Aug 79	2120	81-12.0N	10-42.9W	61	-	0	1019.0	3.0	7	97
58	27 Aug 79	2306	81-12.7N	09-43.3W	64	-	0	1019.5	2.9	9	93
59	28 Aug 79	0230	81-15.2N	09-18.9W	110	-	0	1021.0	1.6	9	93
60	28 Aug 79	0340	81-23.3N	09-40.2W	137	-	0	1021.4	1.3	8	97
61	28 Aug 79	0505	81-32.3N	10-00.5W	311	-	0	1021.9	0.9	6	97
62	28 Aug 79	0700	81-42.5N	10-20.8W	393	-	0	1022.9	0.3	6	97
63	28 Aug 79	0815	81-52.8N	10-20.9W	2194	-	0	1023.5	0.1	6	95
64	28 Aug 79	1025	82-04.3N	11-12.7W	512	130	5	1024.3	-0.5	9	93
65	28 Aug 79	1325	82-21.4N	10-41.2W	2743	130	6	1026.0	-1.0	9	93
66	28 Aug 79	1517	82-34.6N	11-12.0W	2835	135	7	1026.2	-1.2	9	94
67	28 Aug 79	1725	82-38.5N	12-12.4W	2560	150	9	1027.0	-2.4	9	94
68	28 Aug 79	2200	82-49.6N	13-32.8W	2542	155	10	1027.1	-2.8	9	93
69	29 Aug 79	0240	82-55.8N	13-42.7W	1929	150	7	1026.7	-2.9	9	93
70	29 Aug 79	0635	83-02.3N	14-35.8W	3109	140	4	1026.0	-2.4	4	96

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71	29 Aug 79	1030	83-10.7N	14-55.3W	3274	140	7	1025.3	-0.6	6	96
72	29 Aug 79	1400	83-24.0N	14-02.3W	3383	140	9	1024.8	-0.2	8	96
73	29 Aug 79	1847	83-44.4N	12-24.4W	3658	140	11	1024.4	-0.6	8	94
74	29 Aug 79	2359	83-21.1N	11-47.0W	3383	140	21	1024.8	-0.6	8	95
75	30 Aug 79	0315	83-13.8N	11-45.2W	3429	120	16	1024.4	-1.2	8	95
76	30 Aug 79	0640	82-57.6N	11-17.1W	3164	100	12	1024.0	-1.7	8	96
77	30 Aug 79	0934	82-42.2N	10-31.2W	2871	090	13	1024.1	-1.8	8	96
78	30 Aug 79	1322	82-16.7N	11-01.0W	2460	085	14	1024.1	-1.1	8	96
79	30 Aug 79	1530	82-02.1N	11-45.3W	201	090	13	1024.0	-0.7	7	97
80A	30 Aug 79	1745	81-42.0N	11-32.6W	174	100	11	1023.6	0.3	7	97
80B	30 Aug 79	1745	81-42.0N	11-32.6W	174	100	11	1023.6	0.3	7	97
81	30 Aug 79	2019	81-38.6N	09-28.8W	1189	100	12	1023.9	0.3	7	97
82	30 Aug 79	2335	81-21.6N	09-15.1W	192	100	14	1024.5	0.2	7	97
83	31 Aug 79	0405	81-05.6N	10-14.1W	46	095	10	1026.0	0.6	8	96
84	31 Aug 79	0830	81-08.9N	11-06.5W	47	070	10	1027.9	0.1	8	96
85	31 Aug 79	1130	81-10.2N	12-19.1W	18	050	11	1029.0	-0.5	8	96
86	31 Aug 79	1500	81-02.0N	11-39.4W	73	045	11	1029.2	0.0	8	96
87	31 Aug 79	1630	81-53.1N	11-38.9W	229	040	10	1029.3	0.2	8	96
88	31 Aug 79	1800	80-55.7N	12-18.9W	91	040	10	1029.5	0.6	8	96
89	31 Aug 79	2000	80-57.1N	13-14.1W	24	045	9	1030.1	0.6	8	96
90	31 Aug 79	2150	80-46.9N	12-43.3W	88	045	9	1030.6	0.6	8	96
91	31 Aug 79	2335	80-36.7N	12-37.3W	278	050	8	1031.2	0.6	8	96
92	01 Sep 79	0045	80-41.7N	13-13.4W	174	045	8	1031.3	0.4	8	96
94	01 Sep 79	0535	80-35.0N	13-54.5W	135	02	6	1031.7	-0.3	8	96
95	01 Sep 79	0705	80-27.1N	13-21.3W	293	020	7	1031.8	0.4	8	96

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96	01 Sep 79	0830	80-32.0N 14-19.3W	238	025	8	1032.0	1.5	7	96	
97	01 Sep 79	1007	80-36.0N 15-21.5N	27	025	9	1032.2	2.5	6	96	
98	01 Sep 79	1315	80-21.7N 14-59.0W	274	030	10	1032.3	3.0	6	96	
99	01 Sep 79	1447	80-10.3N 14-19.6W	238	040	9	1031.7	1.5	6	96	
100	01 Sep 79	1633	80-15.6N 15-24.0W	293	050	9	1031.5	0.4	7	96	
101	01 Sep 79	1835	80-16.9N 15-51.1W	183	060	8	1031.1	-0.7	7	96	
102	01 Sep 79	2055	80-24.6N 15-15.3W	214	150	6	1031.2	0.2	7	76	
103	01 Sep 79	2300	80-34.2N 15-17.7W	124	250	6	1031.2	0.9	8	96	
104	02 Sep 79	0020	80-41.8N 14-55.2W	37	250	6	1031.2	0.9	8	96	
105	02 Sep 79	0235	80-31.0N 14-55.2W	37	250	5	1031.3	1.2	8	96	
106A	02 Sep 79	0410	80-20.3N 14-46.7W	316	000	12	0129.7	0.5	8	97	
106B	02 Sep 79	0410	80-20.3N 14-46.7W	316	000	12	1029.7	0.5	8	97	
107	02 Sep 79	0555	80-11.1N 14-06.0W	183	030	15	1029.2	0.3	8	98	
108	02 Sep 79	0730	80-10.7N 15-15.4W	375	025	15	1029.1	0.7	8	98	
109	02 Sep 79	0930	80-01.5N 15-32.7W	366	020	15	1029.1	1.2	7	98	
110	02 Sep 79	1045	79-54.4N 15-30.8W	274	015	15	1029.0	1.5	7	98	
111	02 Sep 79	1839	80-03.1N 14-27.7W	119	000	10	1028.3	-0.3	7	98	
112	02 Sep 79	2110	79-52.0N 14-17.8W	58	101	9	1028.3	1.7	7	98	
113A	03 Sep 79	000	79-40.7N 14-16.5W	101	020	7	1028.2	3.8	8	98	
113B	03 Sep 79	000	79-40.7N 14-16.5W	101	020	7	1028.2	3.8	8	98	
114	03 Sep 79	0410	79-30.9N 14-30.4W	85	015	8	1027.4	-0.6	5	97	
115	03 Sep 79	1000	79-20.0N 14-36.4W	42	010	9	1027.0	-1.4	8	96	
116	03 Sep 79	1500	79-16.3N 14-34.8W	38	000	10	1026.3	0.0	5	46	
117	04 Sep 79	0040	79-14.9N 14-35.2W	65	350	13	1024.9	0.6	8	96	
118A	04 Sep 79	1155	79-13.6N 14-35.2W	64	000	9	1024.2	-1.2	8	93	

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118B	04 Sep 79	1211	79-13.6N	14-35.2W	64	000	9	1024.2	-1.2	8	93
118C	04 Sep 79	1216	79-13.6N	14-35.2W	64	000	9	1024.2	-1.2	8	93
118D	04 Sep 79	1221	79-13.6N	14-35.2W	64	000	9	1024.2	-1.2	8	93
118E	04 Sep 79	1226	79-13.6N	14-35.2W	64	000	9	1024.2	-1.2	8	93
118F	04 Sep 79	1231	79-13.6N	14-35.2W	64	000	9	1024.2	-1.2	8	93
118G	04 Sep 79	1236	79-13.6N	14-35.2W	64	000	9	1024.2	-1.2	8	93
118H	04 Sep 79	1301	79-13.6N	14-35.2W	64	000	9	1024.2	-1.2	8	93
118I	04 Sep 79	1345	79-13.6N	14-35.2W	64	000	9	1024.2	-1.2	8	93
118J	04 Sep 79	1506	79-13.6N	14-35.2W	64	000	9	1024.2	-1.2	8	93
118K	04 Sep 79	1515	79-13.6N	14-35.2W	64	000	9	1024.2	-1.2	8	93
119H	05 Sep 79	1000	79-44.2N	16-22.5W	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
120H	05 Sep 79	1030	79-38.6N	16-04.5W	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
121	05 Sep 79	2225	79-16.3N	14-23.5W	73	010	8	1024.3	-1.3	8	94
122	06 Sep 79	0225	79-24.6N	14-15.3W	84	000	8	1024.0	-1.7	8	94
123	06 Sep 79	0530	79-29.9N	14-16.3W	110	350	8	1023.5	-1.7	8	95
124	06 Sep 79	0745	79-31.4N	14-20.0W	119	340	7	1023.2	-1.3	8	95
125	06 Sep 79	1819	79-29.9N	14-30.9W	97	270	5	1022.3	1.1	8	96
126	07 Sep 79	2125	79-32.3N	14-37.2W	82	015	3	1020.7	-3.1	7	97
127	08 Sep 79	1225	79-32.3N	14-37.4W	82	200	3	1012.6	-3.4	8	96
128	08 Sep 79	2210	79-32.3N	14-37.4W	82	175	12	1002.6	-3.4	7	97
129	09 Sep 79	1315	79-32.4N	14-37.2W	82	350	8	998.8	-8.0	3	97
130	09 Sep 79	1810	79-32.2N	14-33.9W	78	010	15	997.4	-3.3	8	95
131A	10 Sep 79	1455	79-32.1N	14-34.0W	78	020	15	1003.7	-4.2	3	97
131B	10 Sep 79	1521	79-32.1N	14-34.0W	78	020	15	1003.7	-4.2	3	97
132	11 Sep 79	0715	79-32.9N	14-10.3W	100	340	20	1005.4	-4.7	8	92

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133	12 Sep 79	0720	79-37.9N	13-26.5W	155	000	19	1007.3	-2.8	7	96
134	12 Sep 79	0925	79-39.7N	12-42.4W	165	350	18	1007.4	-2.8	7	96
135	12 Sep 79	1115	79-37.2N	11-41.0W	8	X	X	X	X	X	X
136	12 Sep 79	1330	79-30.6N	12-37.8W	210	030	21	1007.3	-2.6	7	96
137	12 Sep 79	1500	79-18.3N	12-13.6W	176	055	25	1007.3	-2.5	7	96
138	12 Sep 79	1830	79-08.0N	11-40.0W	219	090	31	1007.3	-2.3	8	95
139	12 Sep 79	2016	79-12.8N	12-15.6W	146	060	27	1008.4	-2.5	8	95
140	12 Sep 79	2200	79-03.8N	11-54.1W	366	035	22	1009.5	-2.7	8	96
141A	12 Sep 79	2350	78-59.0N	12-30.8W	165	010	18	1010.4	-2.8	8	96
141B	12 Sep 79	2350	78-59.0N	12-30.8W	165	010	18	1010.4	-2.8	8	96
142A	13 Sep 79	0200	78-53.0N	13-11.0W	141	010	14	1011.1	-3.2	8	96
142B	13 Sep 79	0215	78-53.0N	13-11.0W	141	010	14	1011.1	-3.2	8	96
143	13 Sep 79	0655	78-54.0N	13-56.0W	146	000	6	1012.5	-3.9	7	96
144H	13 Sep 79	1346	79-22.1N	16-41.0W	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
145H	13 Sep 79	1410	79-14.4N	15-46.0W	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
146H	13 Sep 79	1430	79-09.0N	14-53.0W	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
147H	13 Sep 79	1655	79-31.0N	15-48.0W	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
148H	13 Sep 79	1710	79-23.8N	15-22.0W	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
149H	13 Sep 79	1730	79-17.5N	14-43.0W	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
150H	13 Sep 79	1740	79-09.2N	14-06.0W	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
151H	13 Sep 79	1750	79-02.3N	13-30.0W	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
152	13 Sep 79	2340	78-47.0N	14-34.3W	61	200	3	1013.9	-1.1	2	95
153	14 Sep 79	0350	78-39.5N	14-45.9W	73	110	4	1014.0	-9.1	6	95
154	14 Sep 79	0750	78-39.0N	14-58.1W	61	110	4	1014.8	-13.2	6	97
155	14 Sep 79	1127	78-30.8N	16-00.5W	192	200	4	1016.0	-13.0	5	97

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156H	14 Sep 79	1610	78-42.5N	17-34.0W	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
157H	14 Sep 79	1700	78-30.0N	16-35.0W	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
158	15 Sep 79	0000	78-20.7N	15-41.6W	210	280	5	1016.7	-11.2	2	97
159H	15 Sep 79	1100	78-30.0N	17-47.0W	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
160H	15 Sep 79	1130	78-20.0N	18-19.0W	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
161H	15 Sep 79	1200	78-22.0N	18-05.0W	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
162H	15 Sep 79	1545	78-05.0N	18-01.0W	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
163H	15 Sep 79	1605	78-12.0N	18-22.5W	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
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174	16 Sep 79	2220	76-49.2N	17-24.9W	274	315	19	1006.0	-3.6	9	94
175	17 Sep 79	0035	76-42.1N	17-51.3W	274	310	20	1004.7	-3.4	9	94
176	17 Sep 79	0335	76-30.2N	18-05.8W	91	305	17	1002.6	-2.3	9	94
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STATION NUMBER	DATE	TIME (GMT)	POSITION		DEPTH (m)	WIND DIR SPD		BAR	AIR TEMP	CLOUD	VIS
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196	20 Sep 79	2300	77-37.8N	12-12.8W	347	020	18	1005.6	-1.5	9	95
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USCGC WESTWIND

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212	22 Sep 79	1843	77-07.3N 07-35.5W	274	220	7	1007.6	0.8	7	96
213	22 Sep 79	1946	77-10.6N 07-18.7W	267	200	9	1007.6	1.4	7	96
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227	24 Sep 79	0100	77-15.8N 05-08.9W	1097	110	11	1010.9	0.0	7	96
228	24 Sep 79	0325	77-33.5N 05-49.3W	366	110	10	1010.6	-0.2	7	96

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USCGC WESTWIND

STATION NUMBER	DATE	TIME (GMT)	POSITION	DEPTH (m)	WIND		BAR	AIR TEMP	CLOUD	VIS
					DIR	SPD				
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231	24 Sep 79	1345	78-00.0N 07-12.9W	342	090	8	1010.1	1.2	8	96
232	24 Sep 79	1705	78-00.0N 06-10.9W	302	060	7	1009.5	1.8	7	97
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234	24 Sep 79	2130	77-59.5N 04-47.0W	1646	075	15	1008.2	1.4	8	95
235	24 Sep 79	2325	78-00.3N 04-01.9W	2524	080	18	1007.5	1.2	8	95
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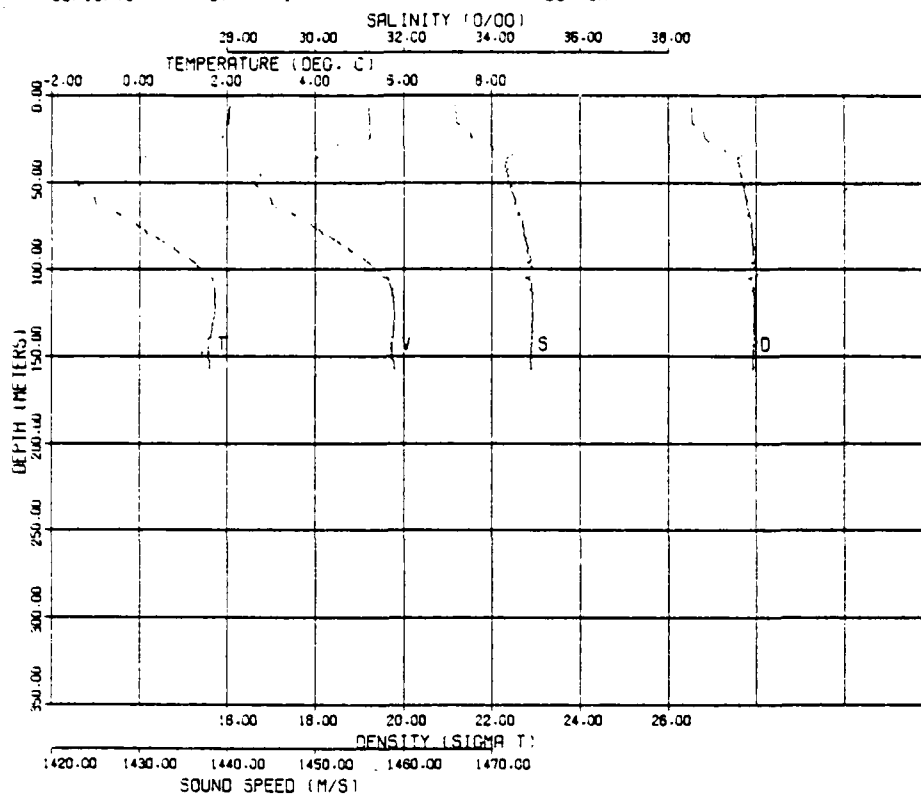
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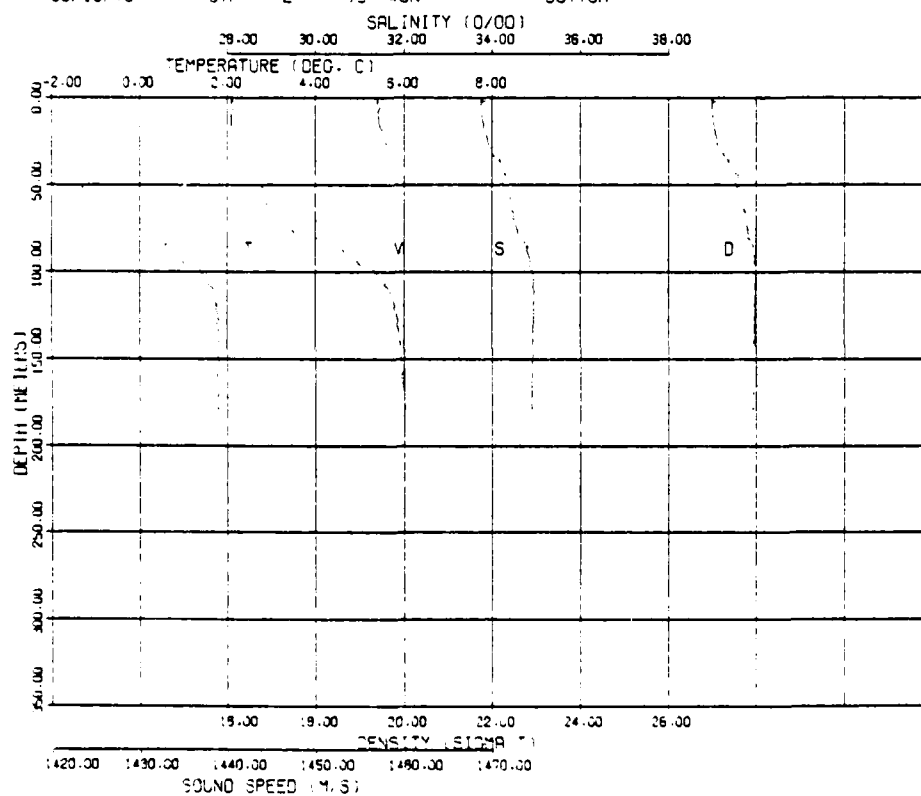


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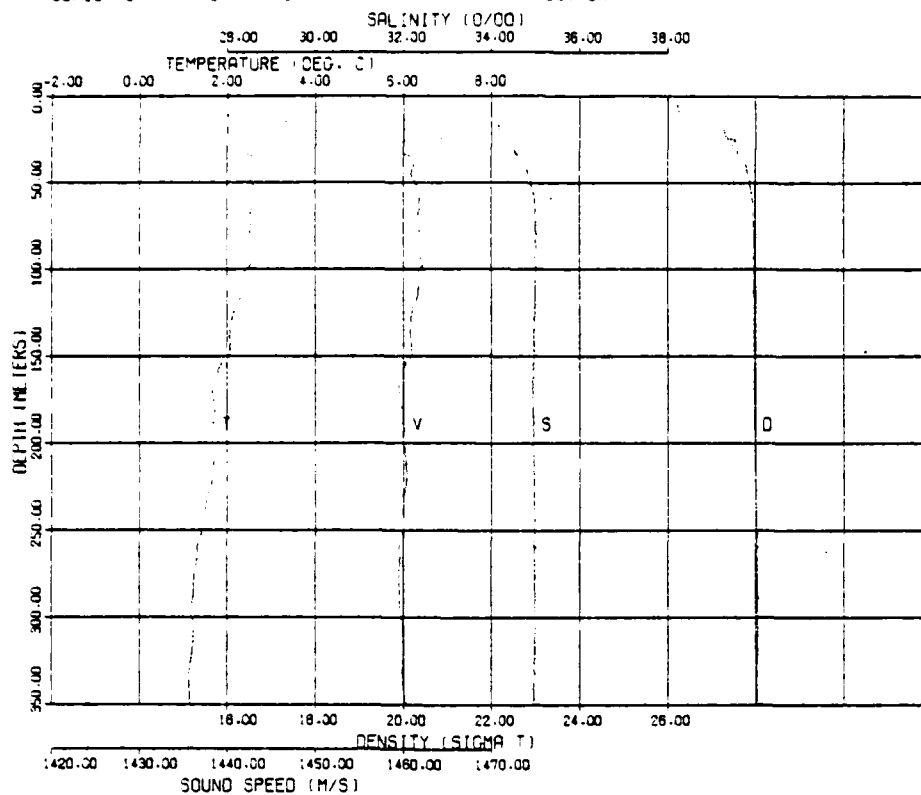
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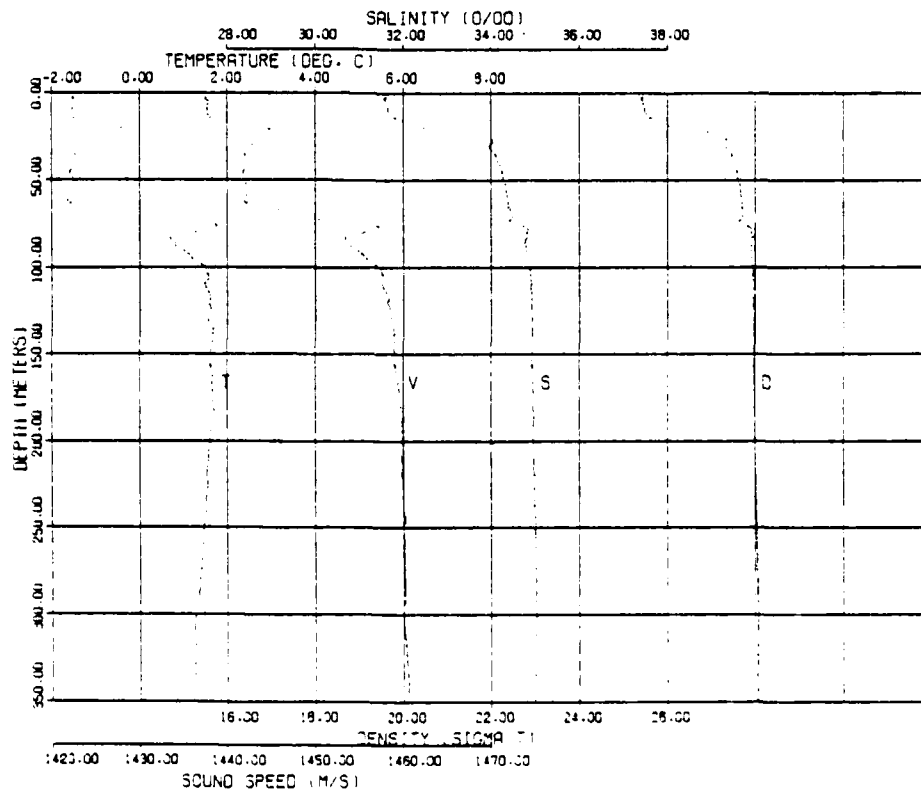
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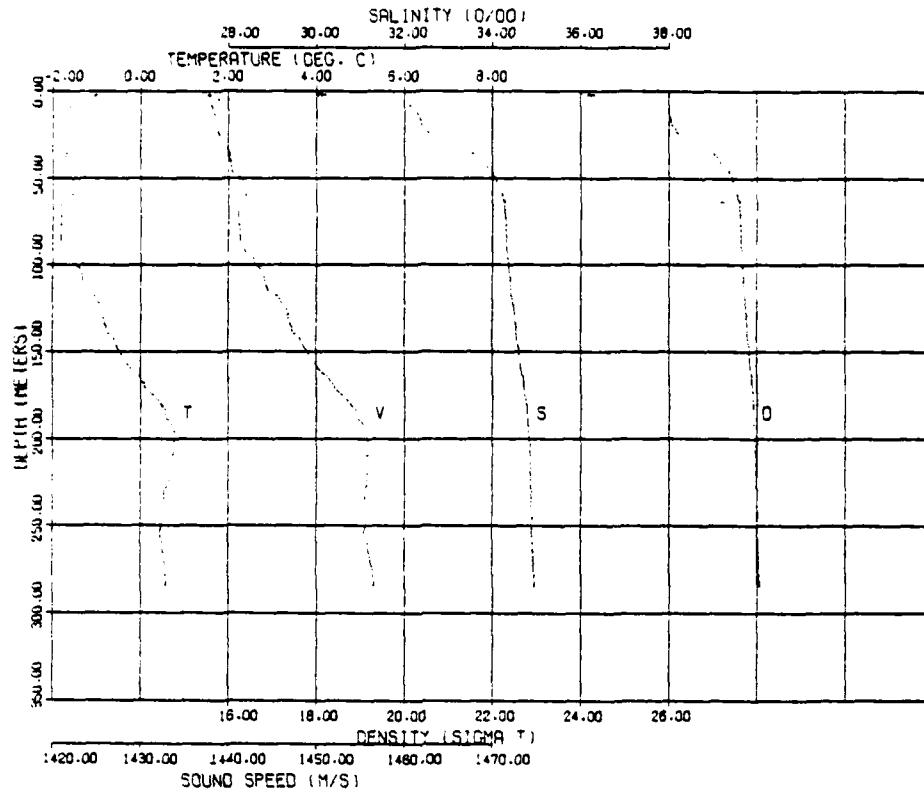
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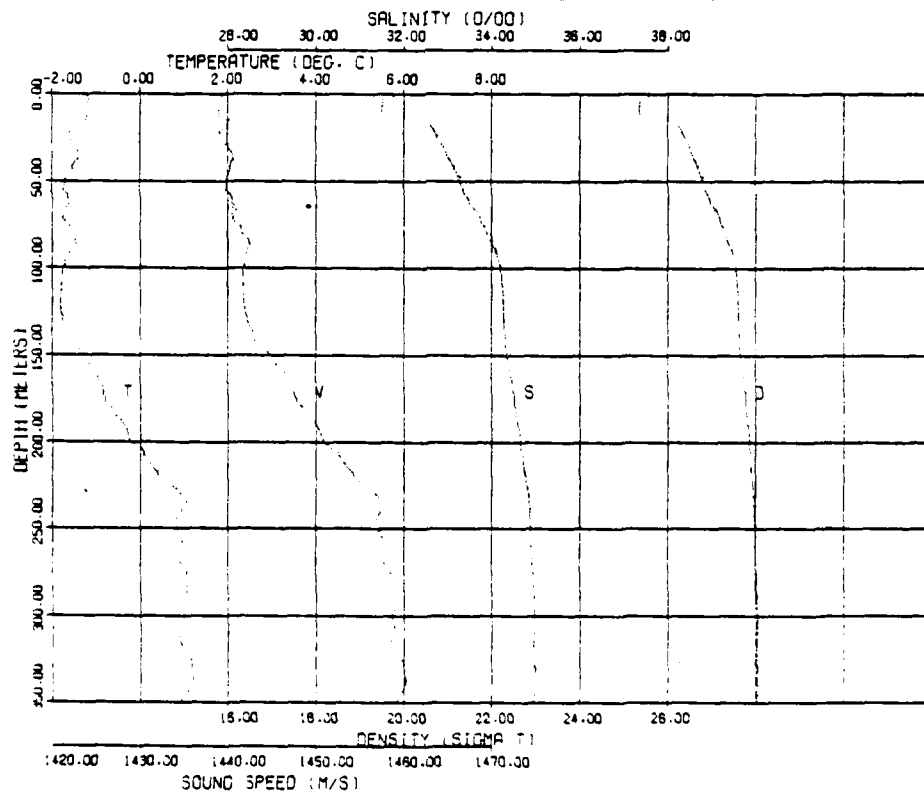
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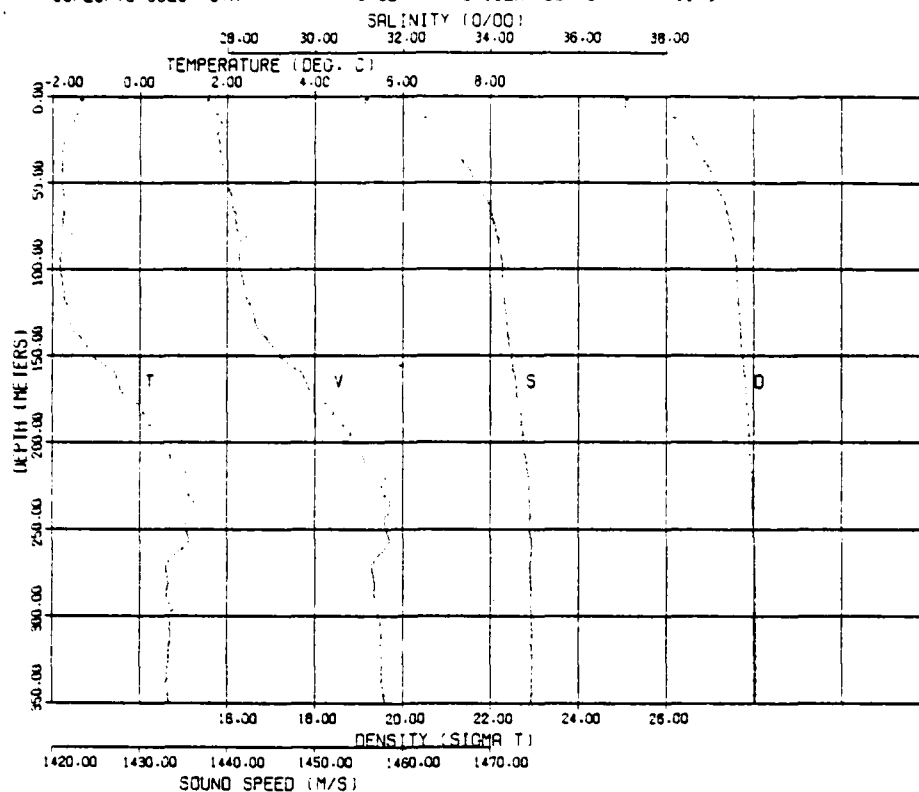
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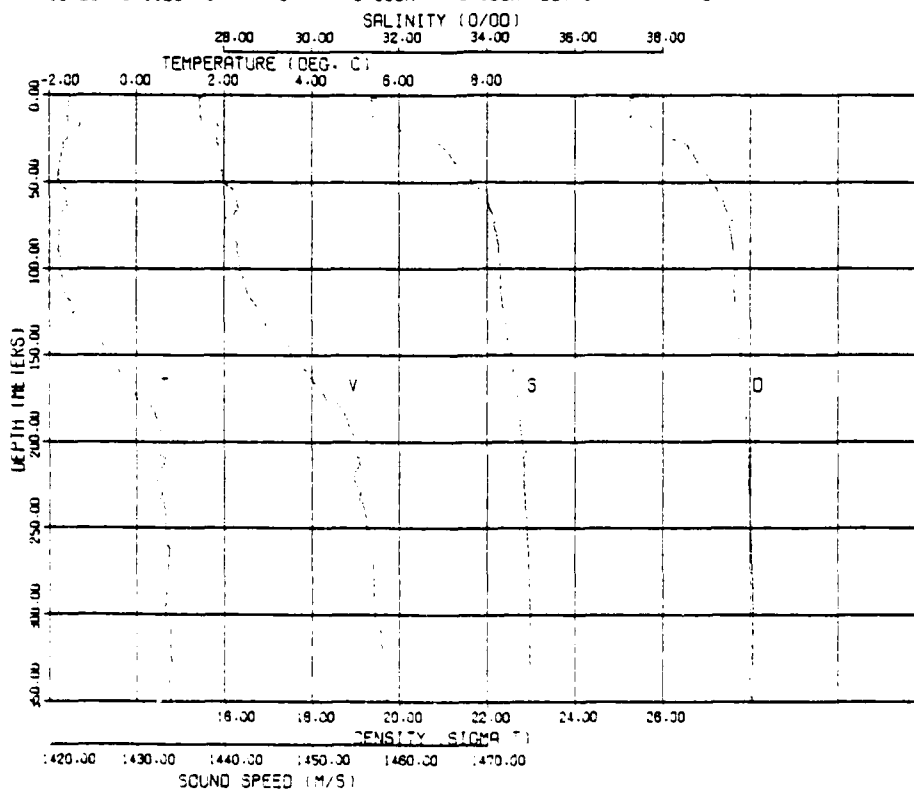
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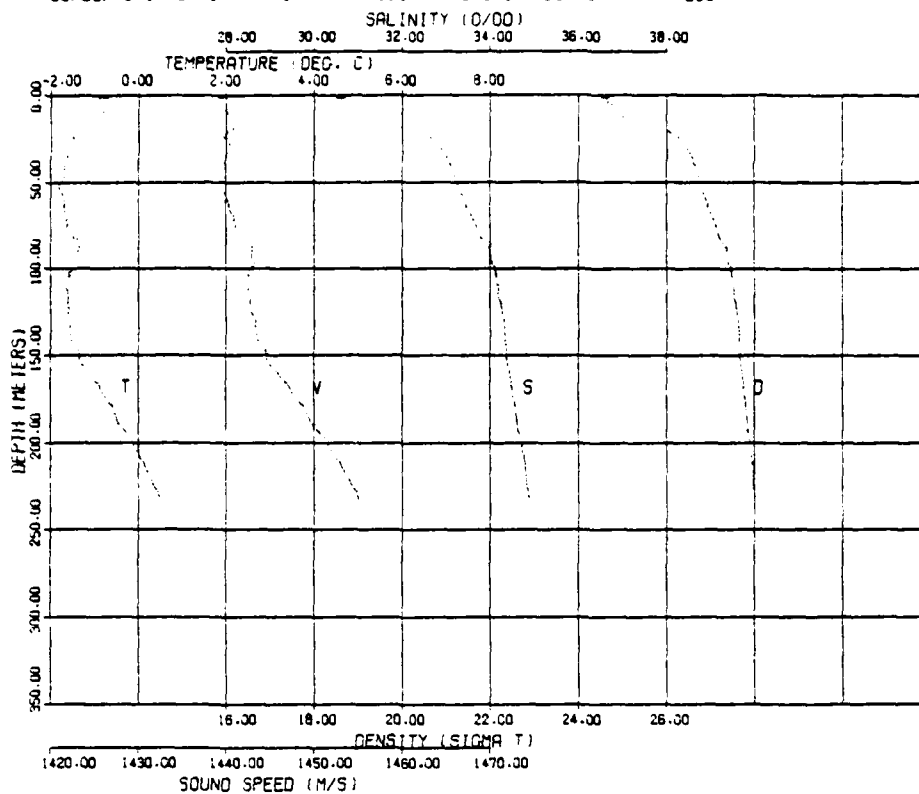
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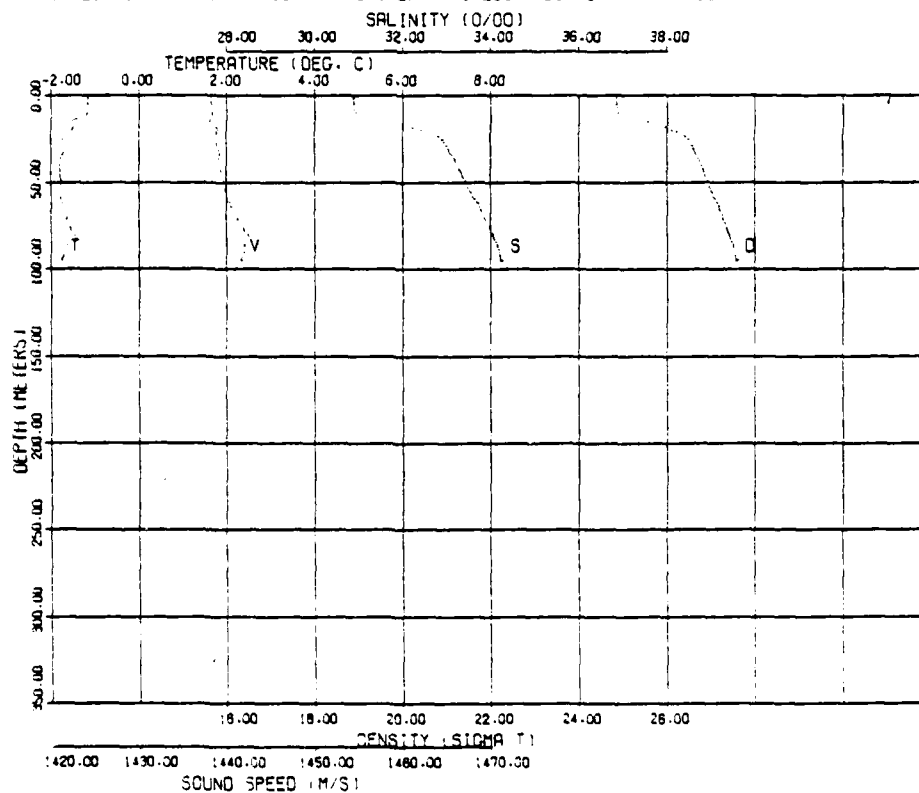
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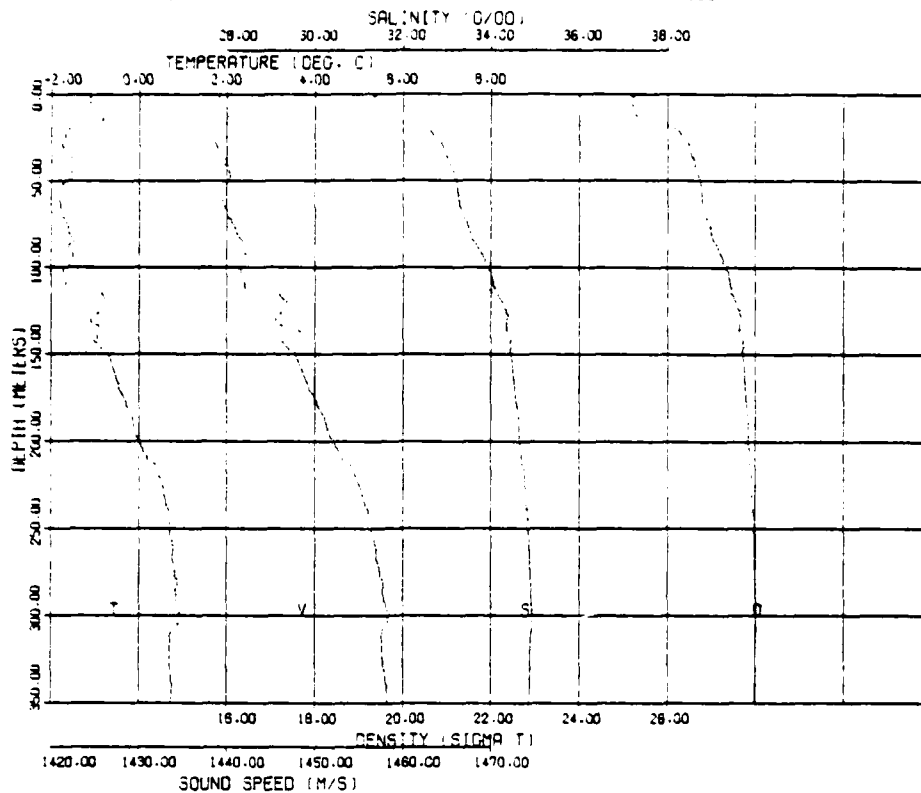
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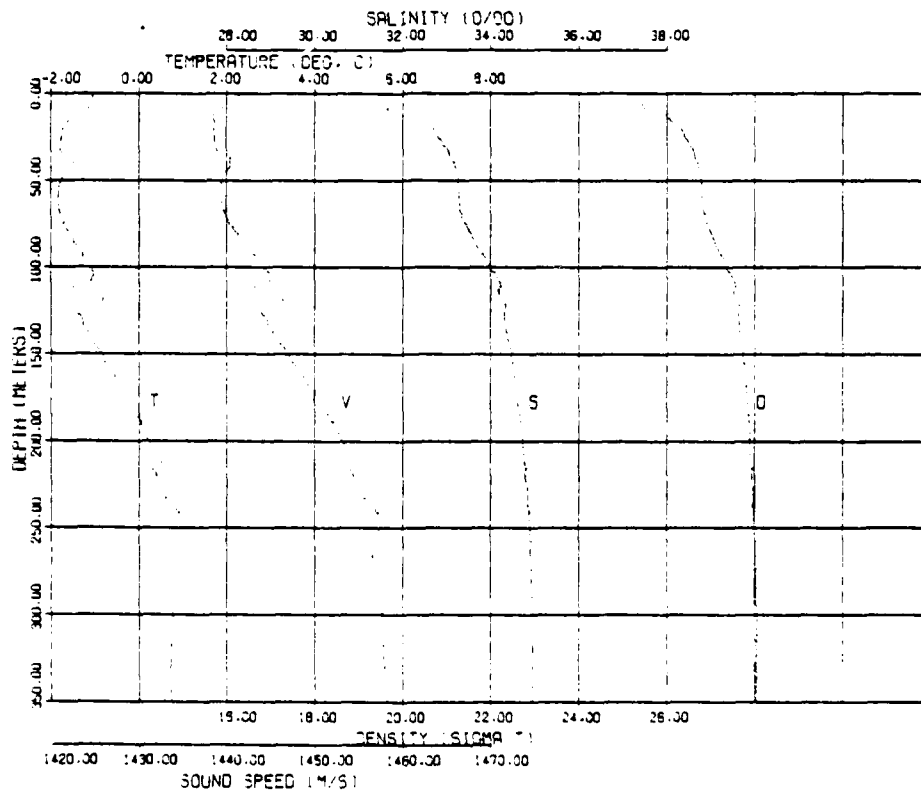
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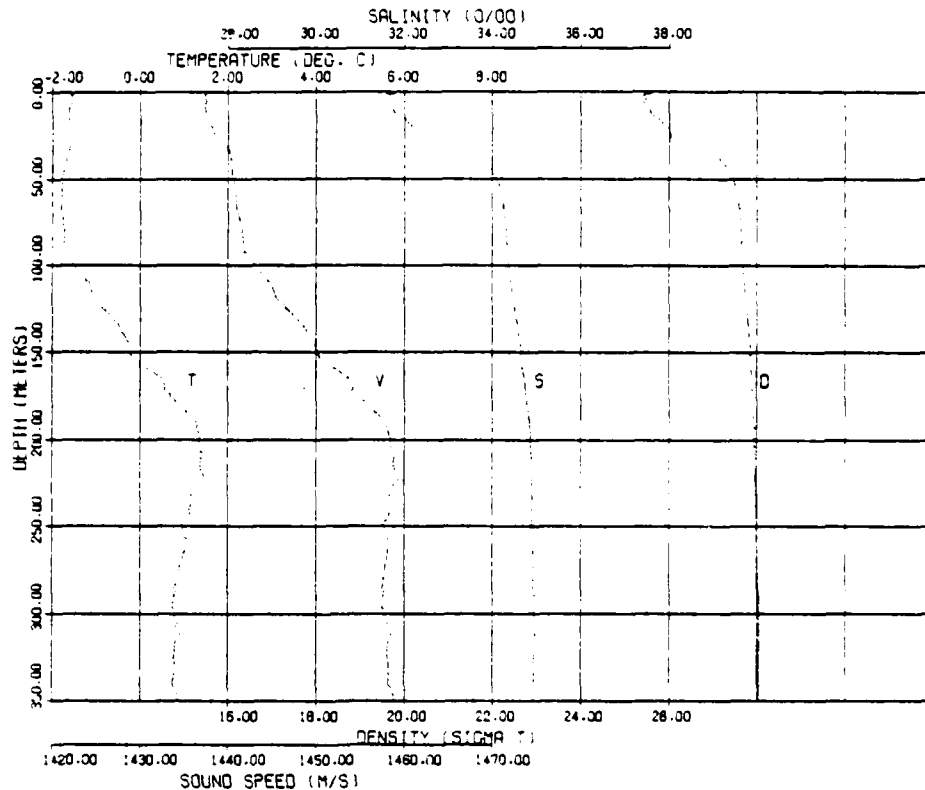
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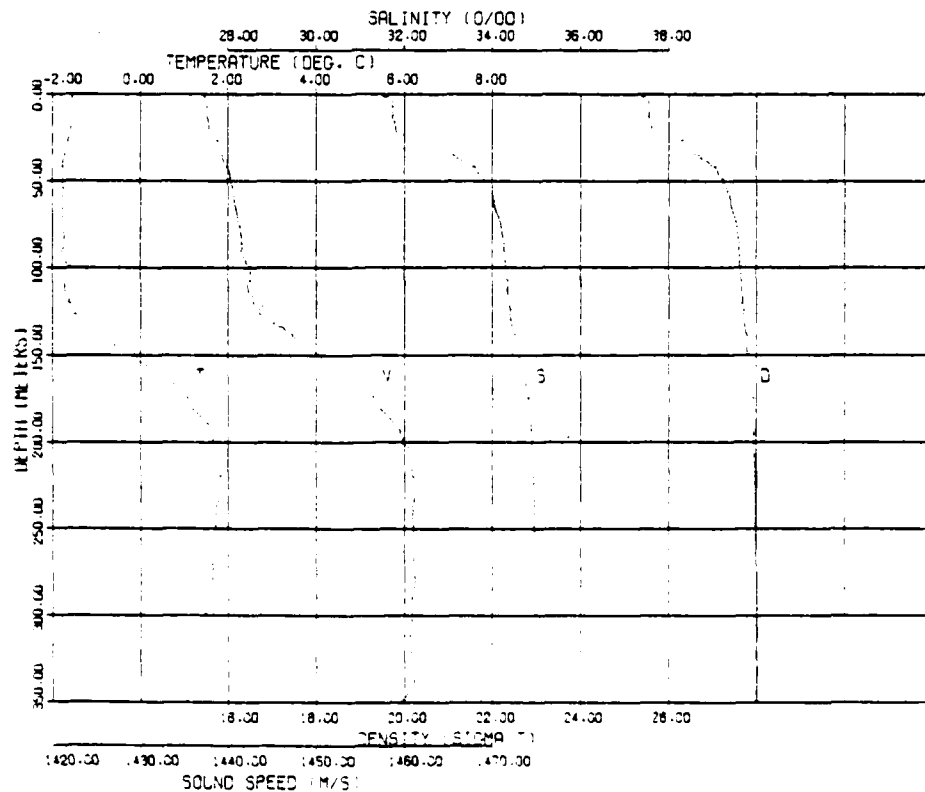
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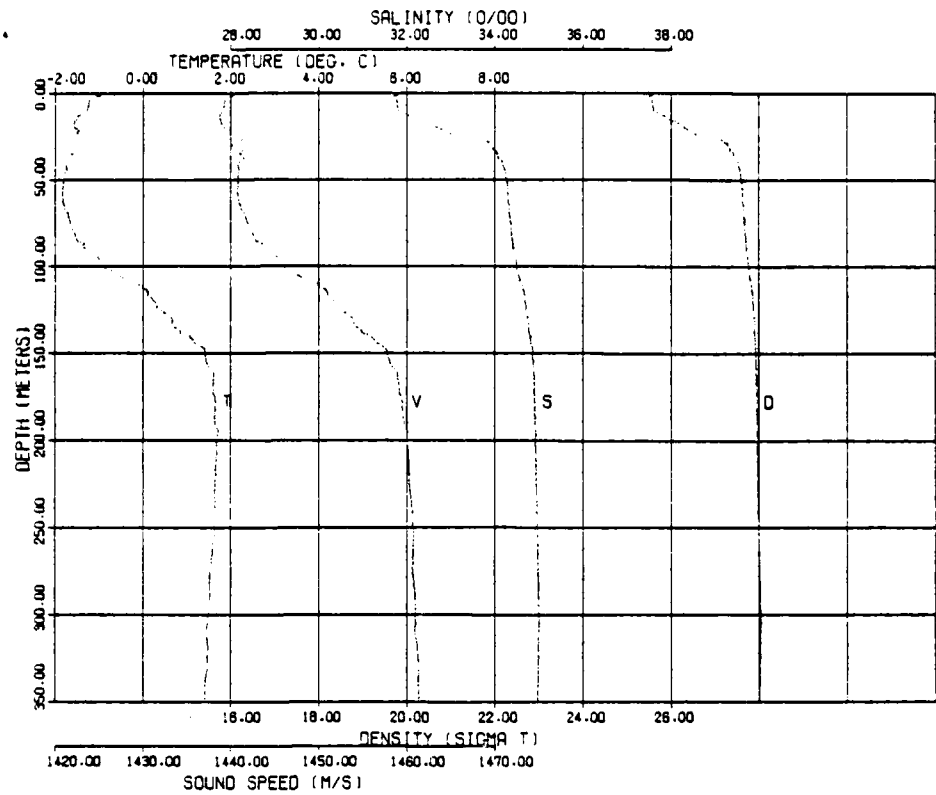
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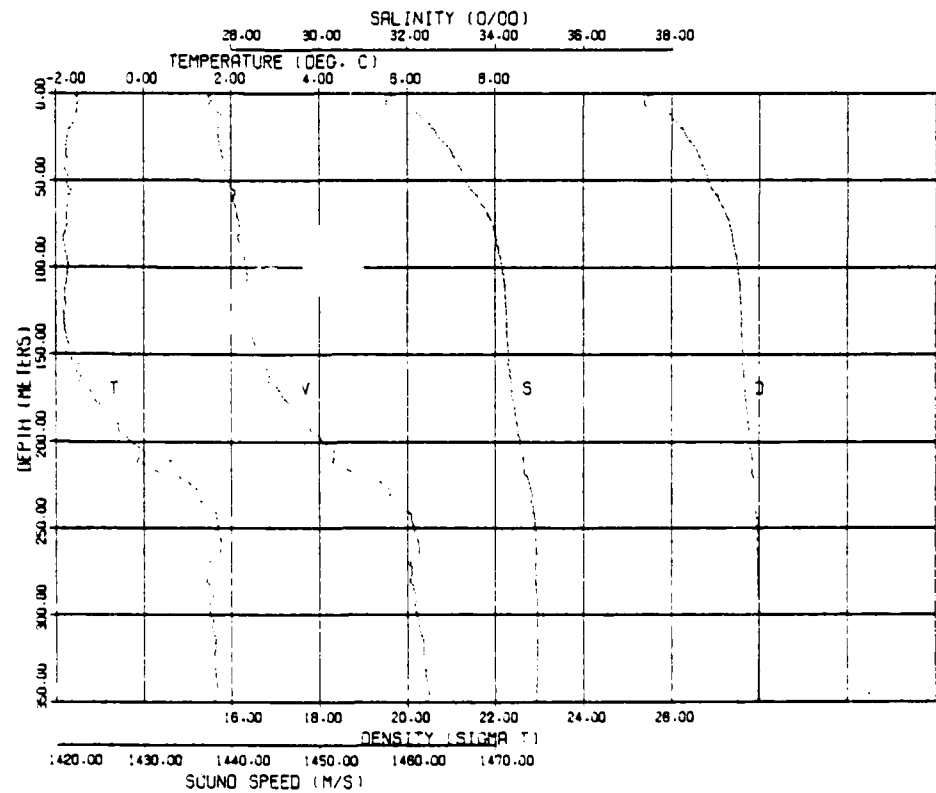
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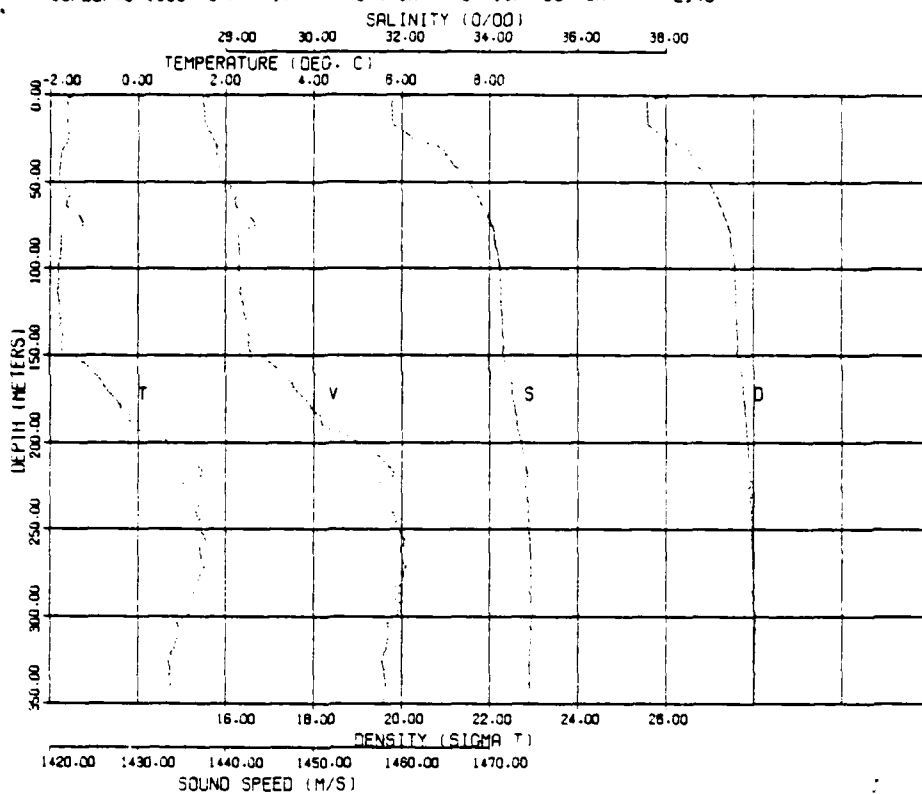
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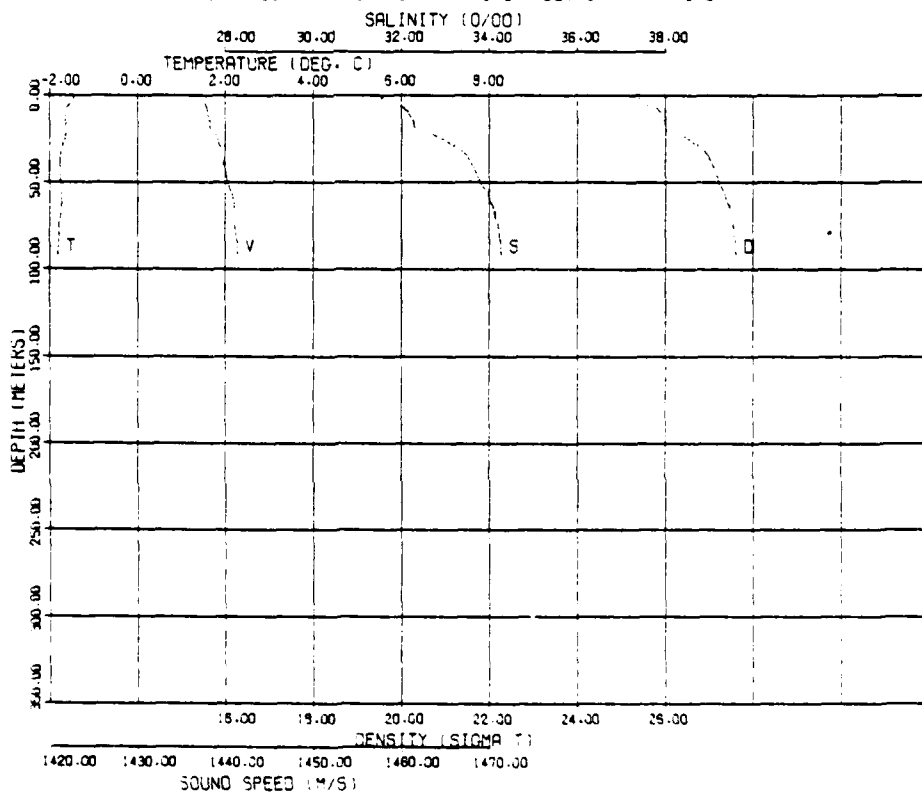
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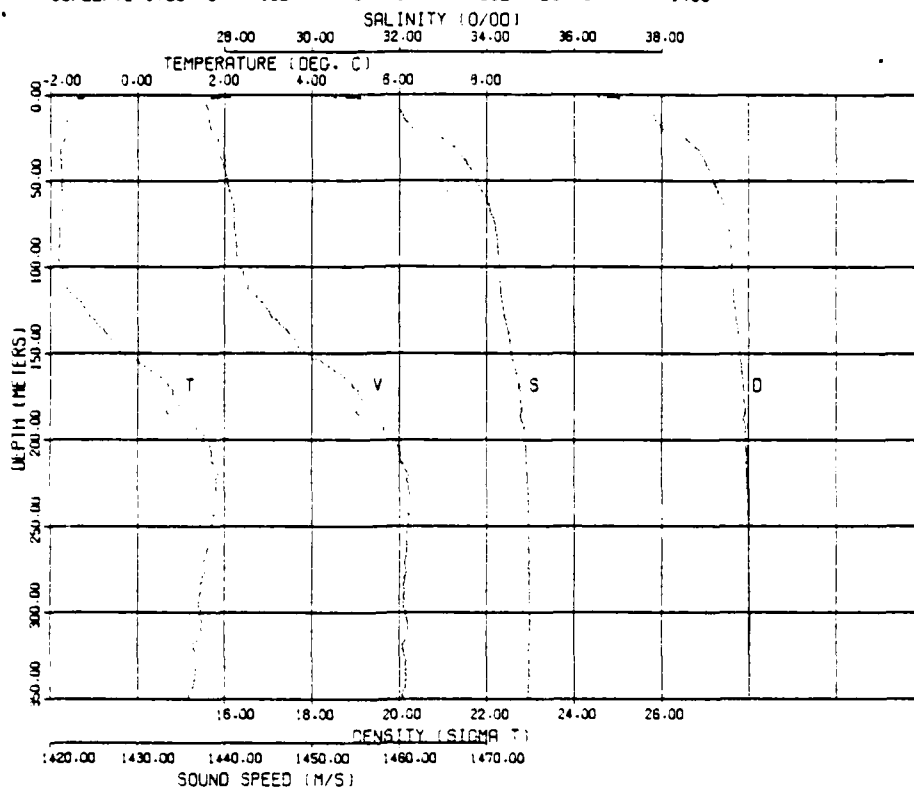
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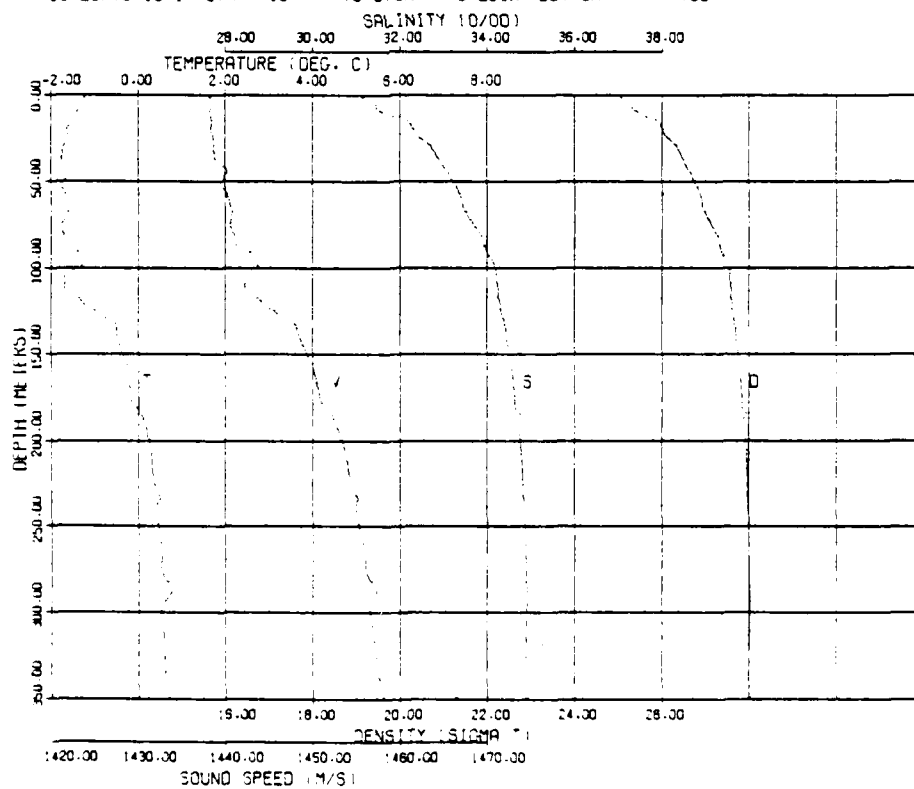
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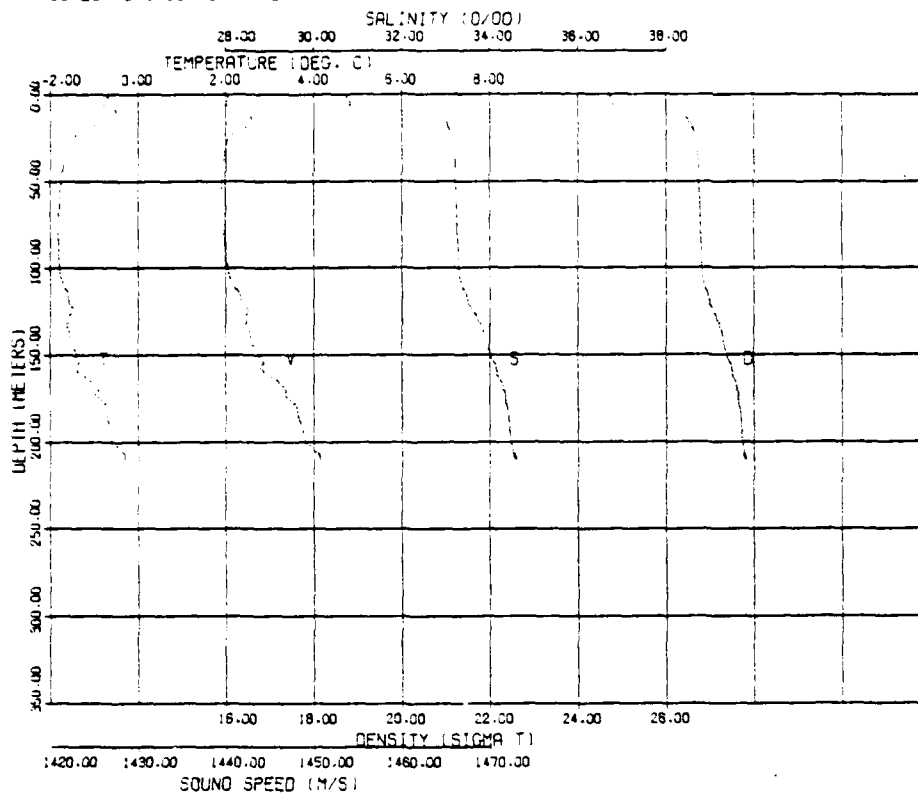
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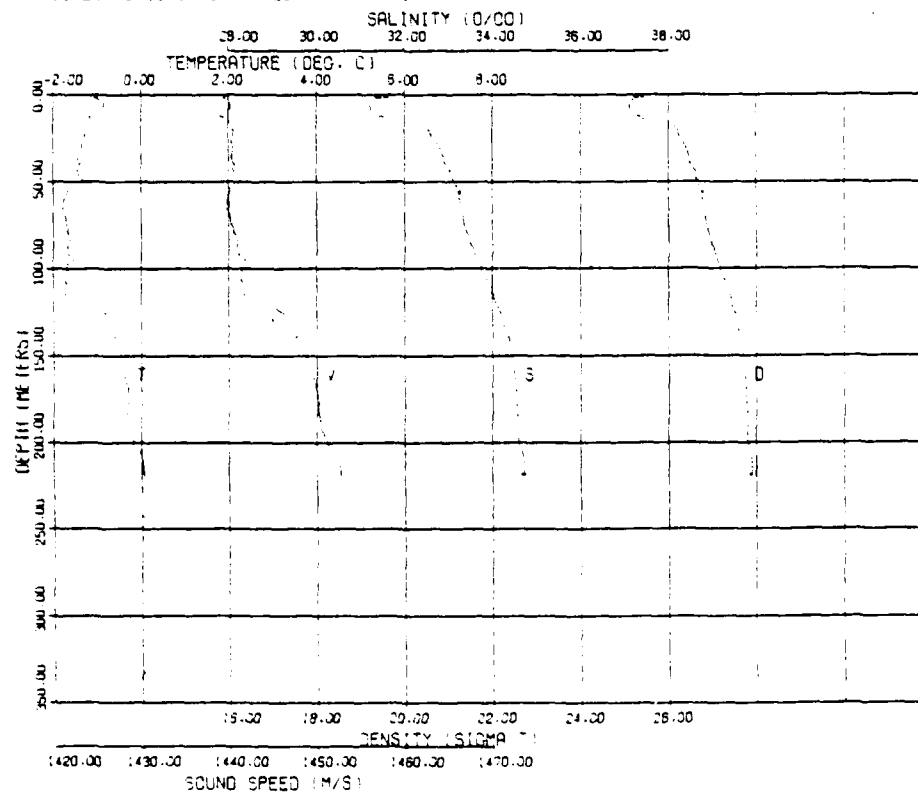
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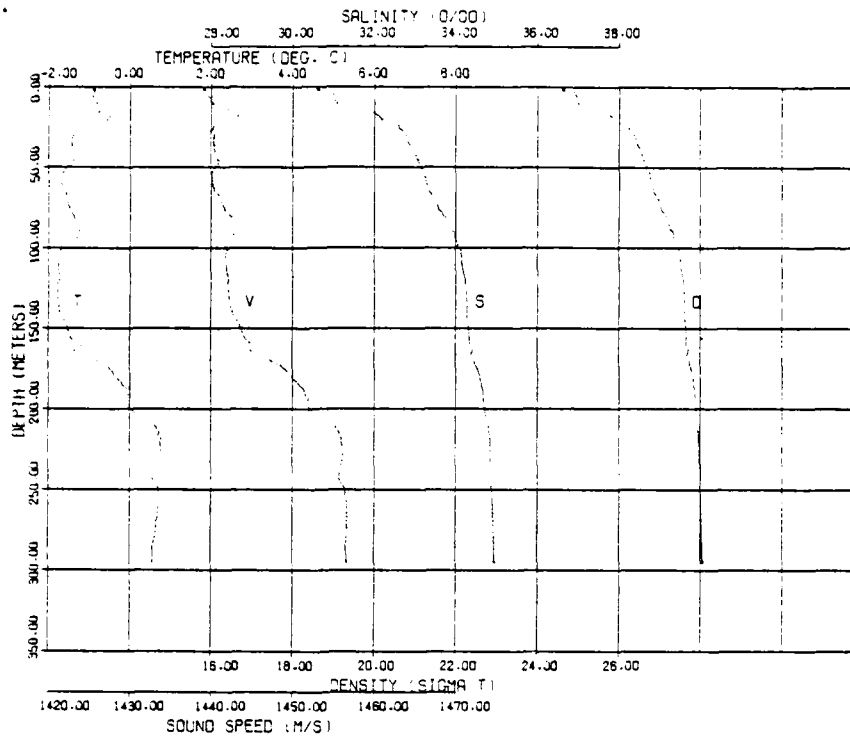
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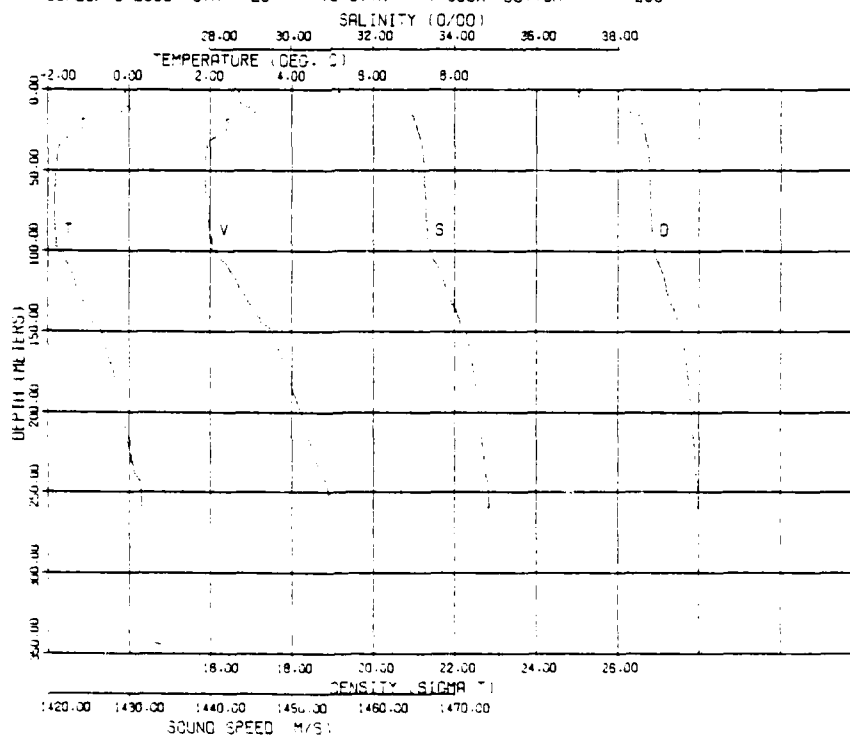
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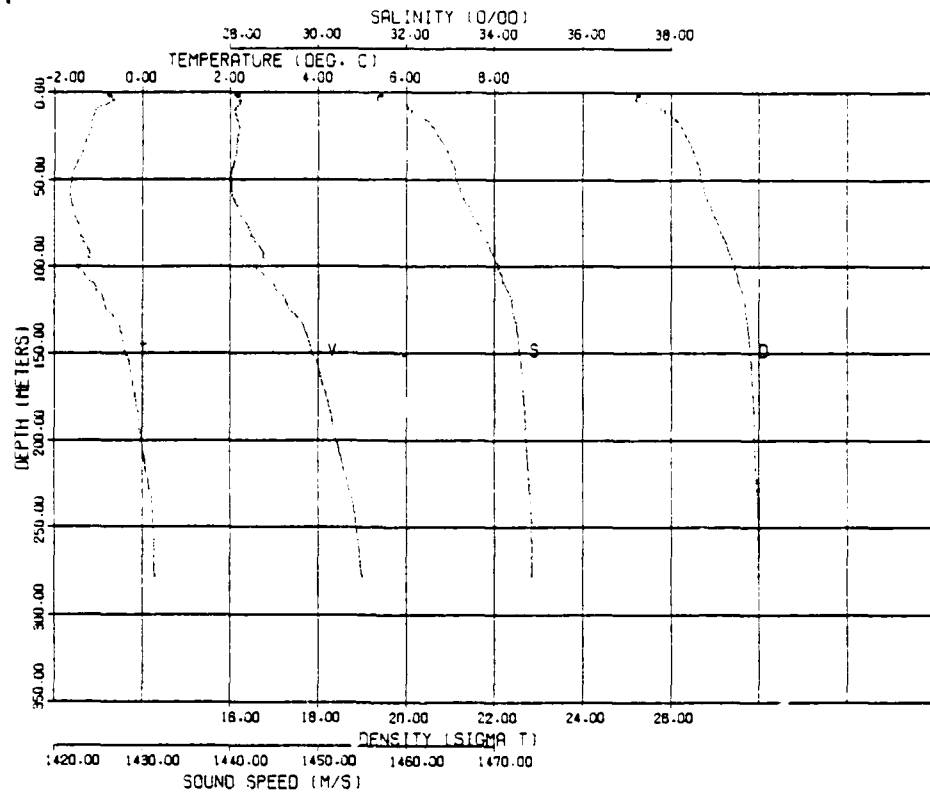
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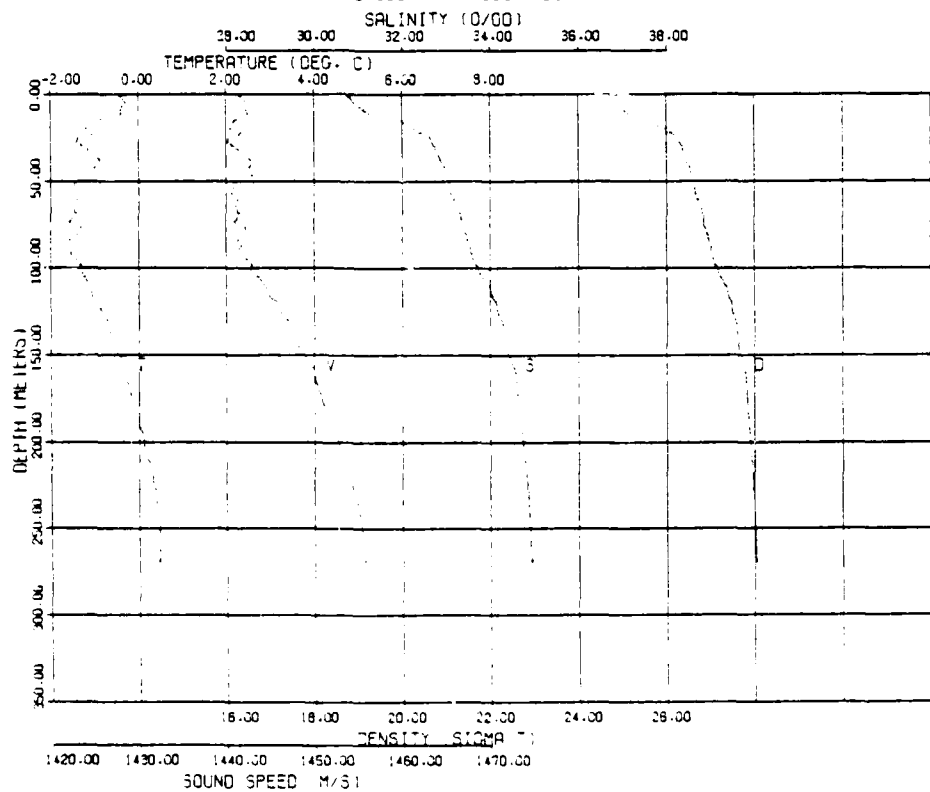
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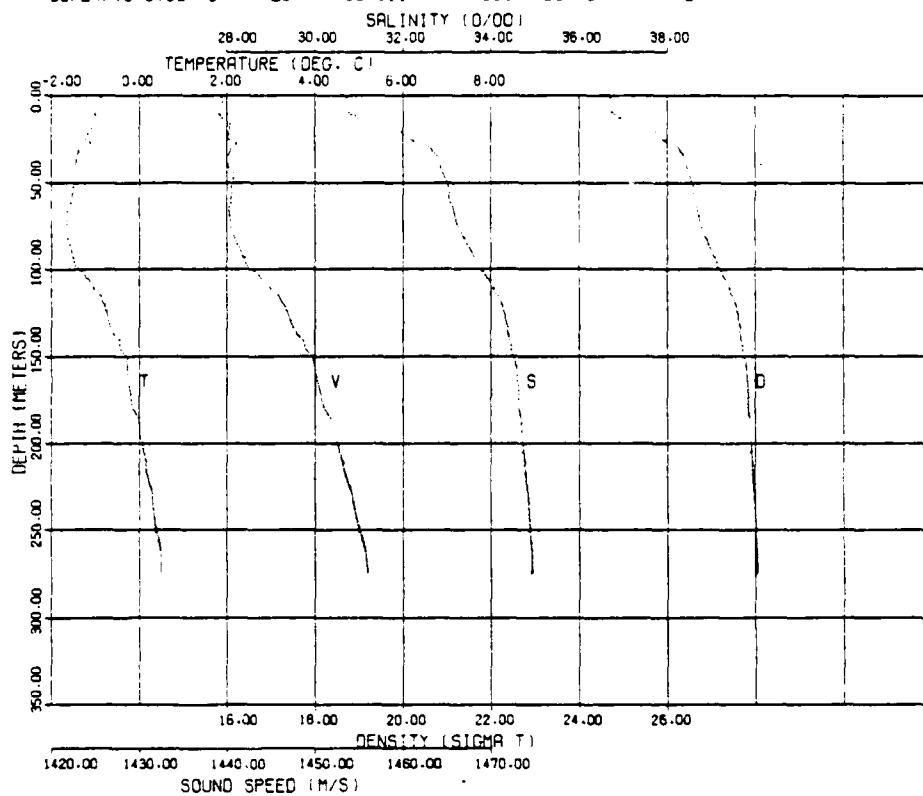
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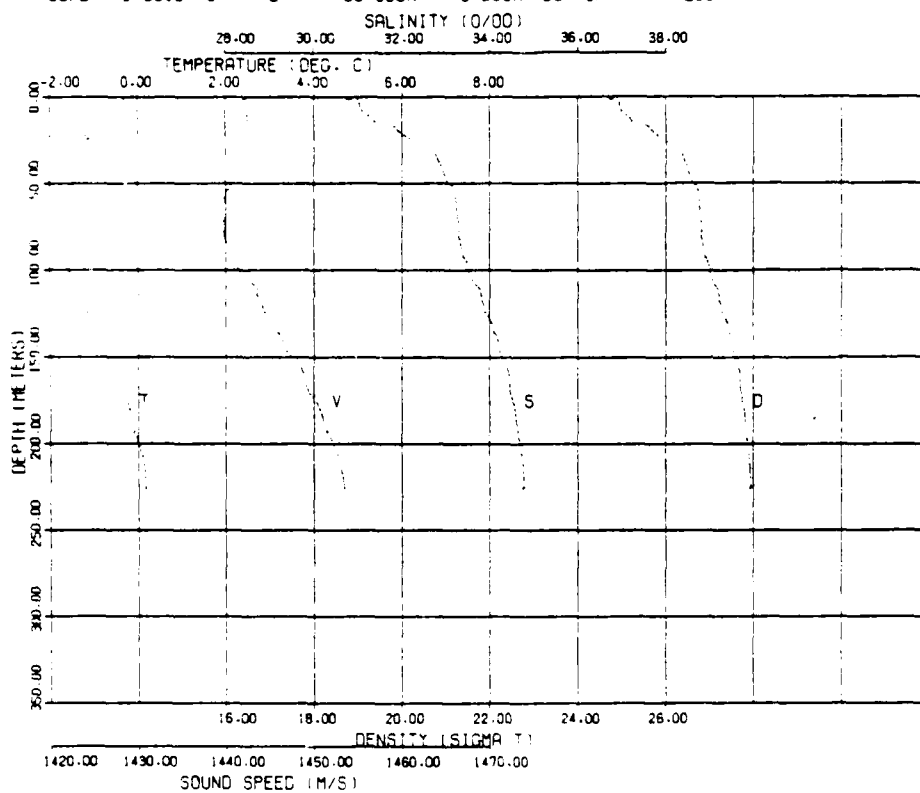
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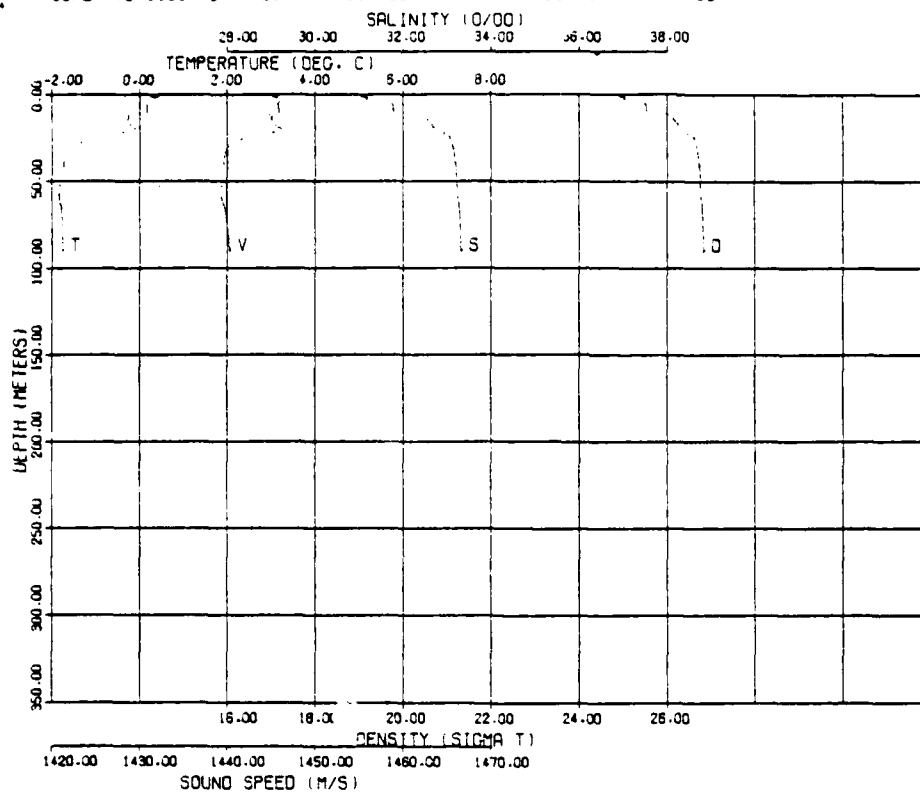
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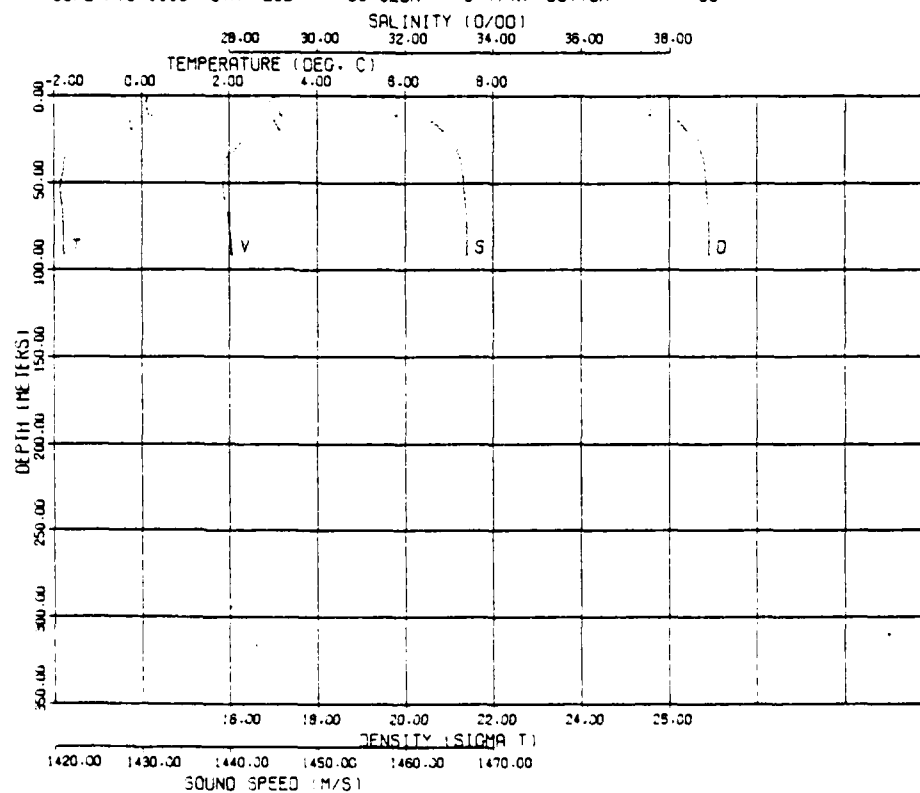
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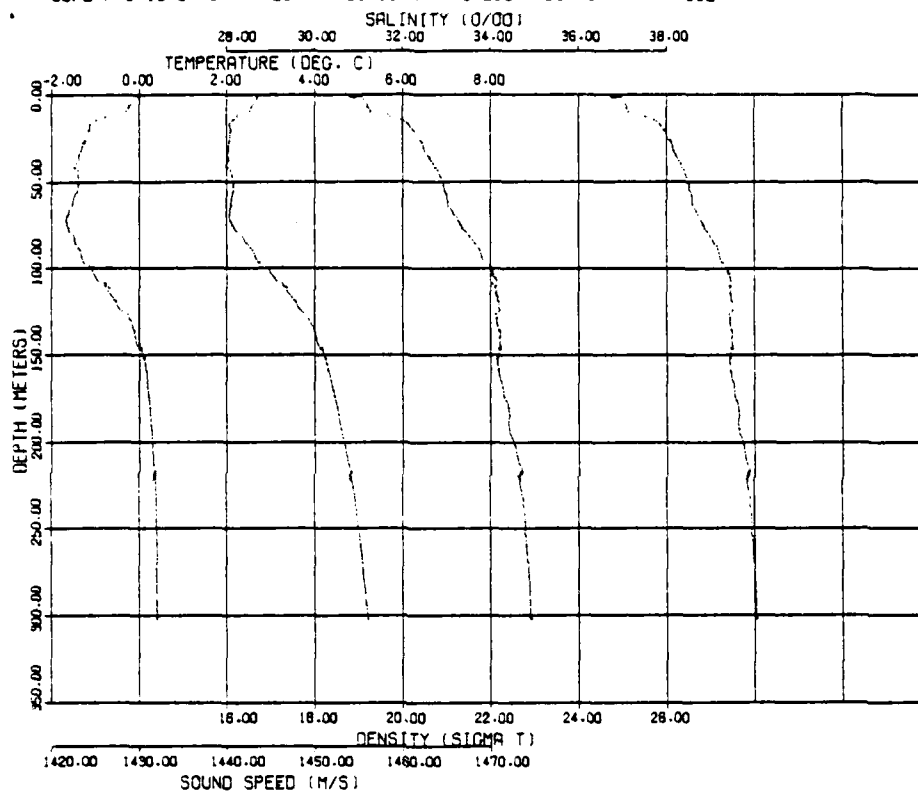
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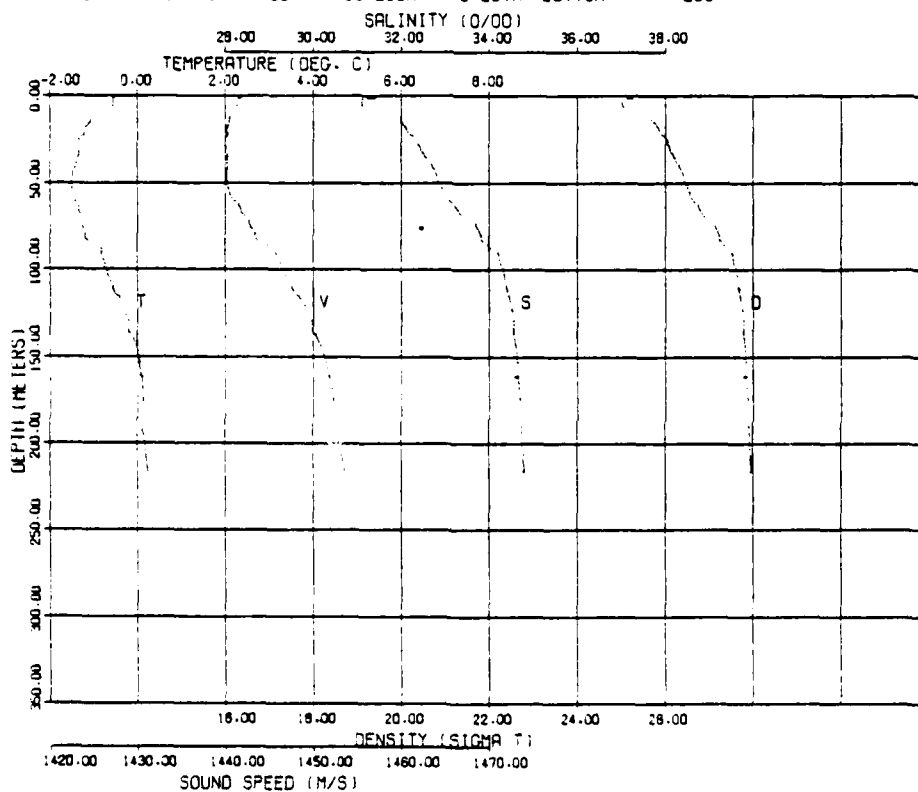
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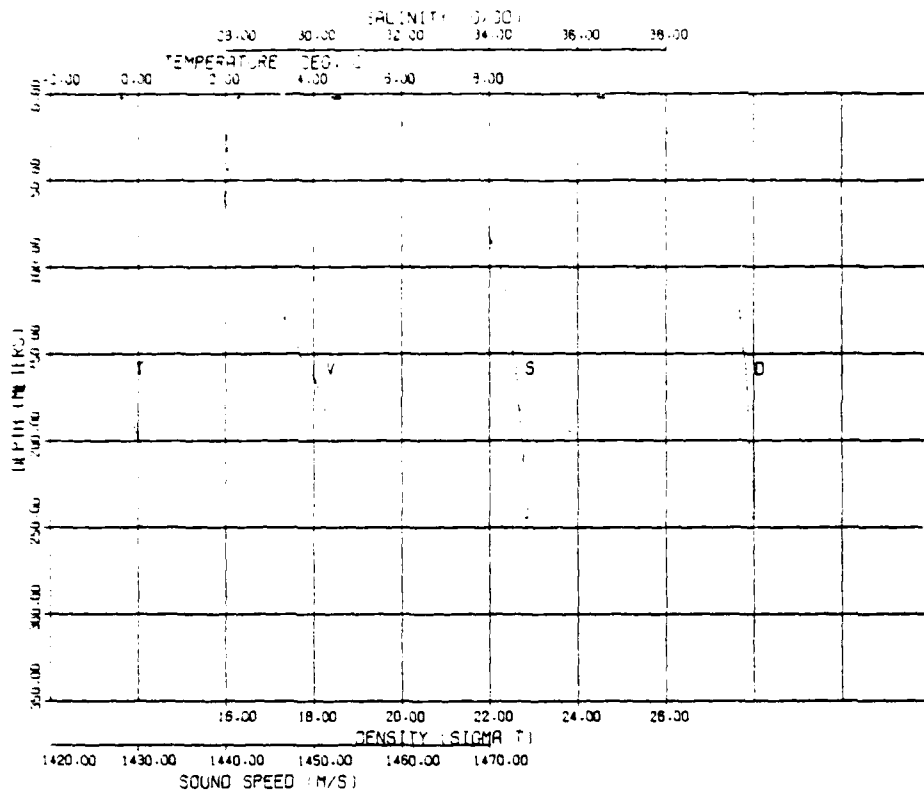
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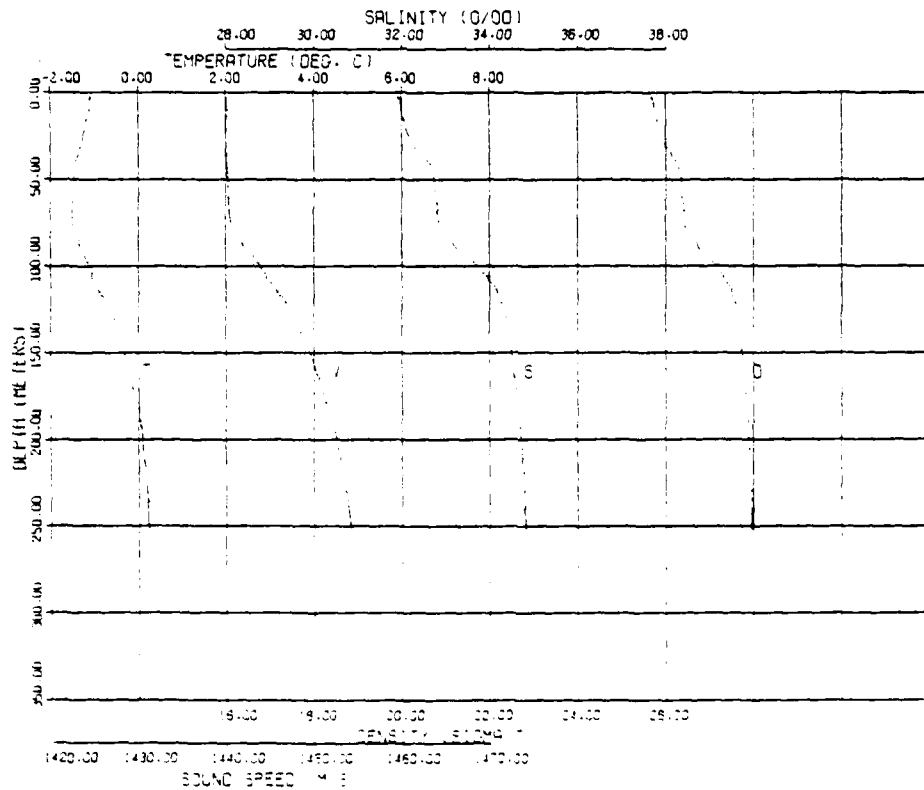
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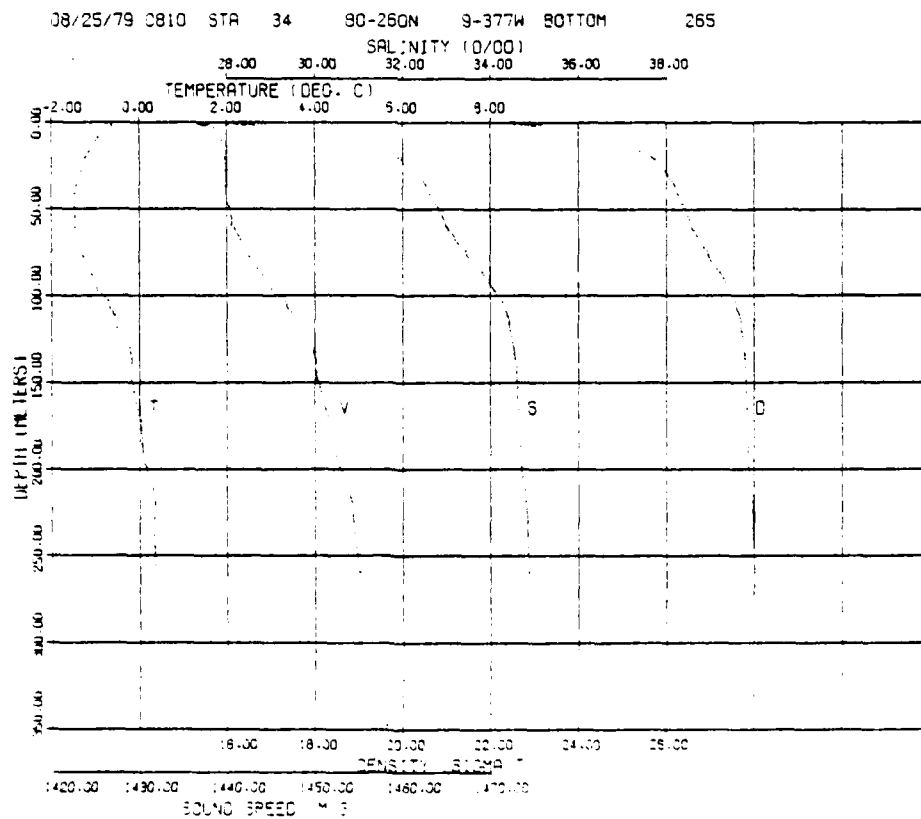
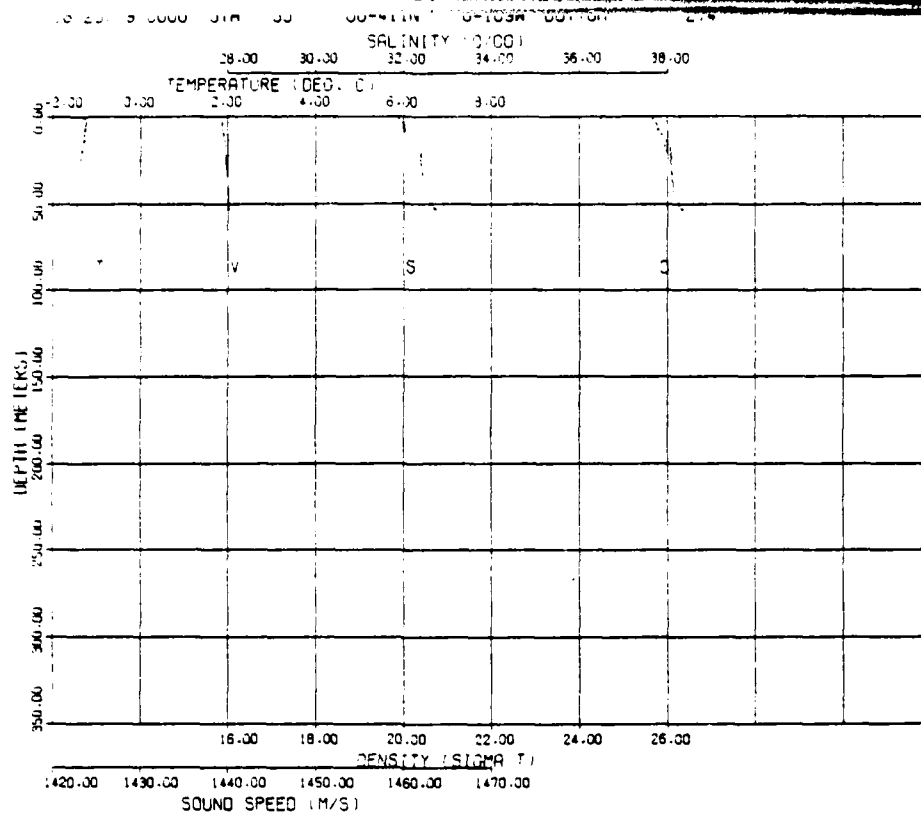


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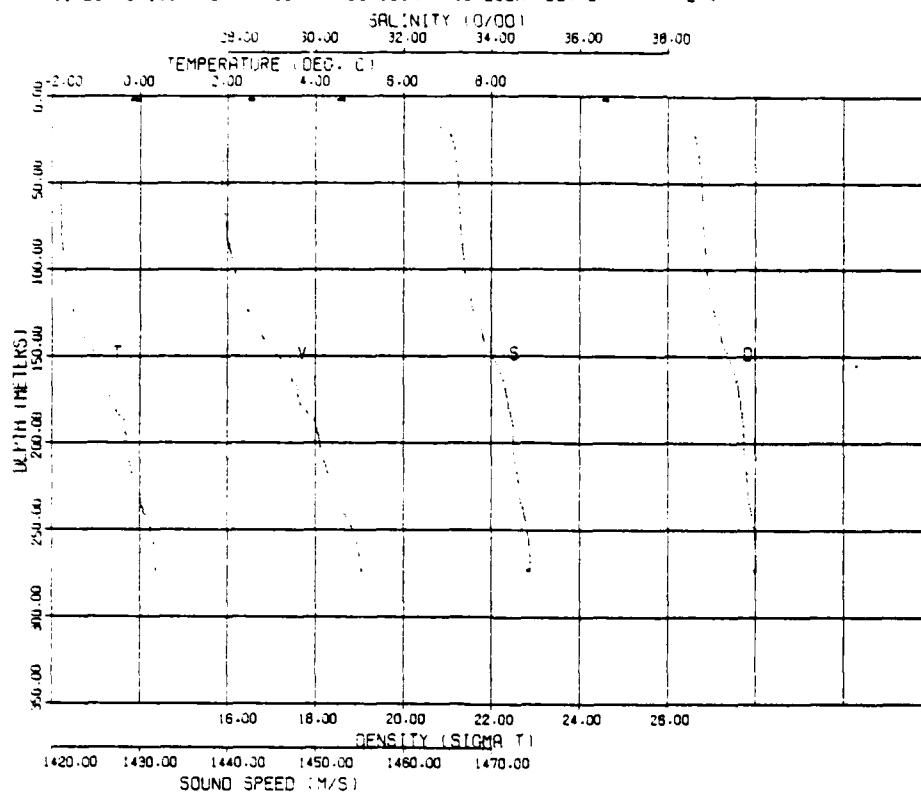


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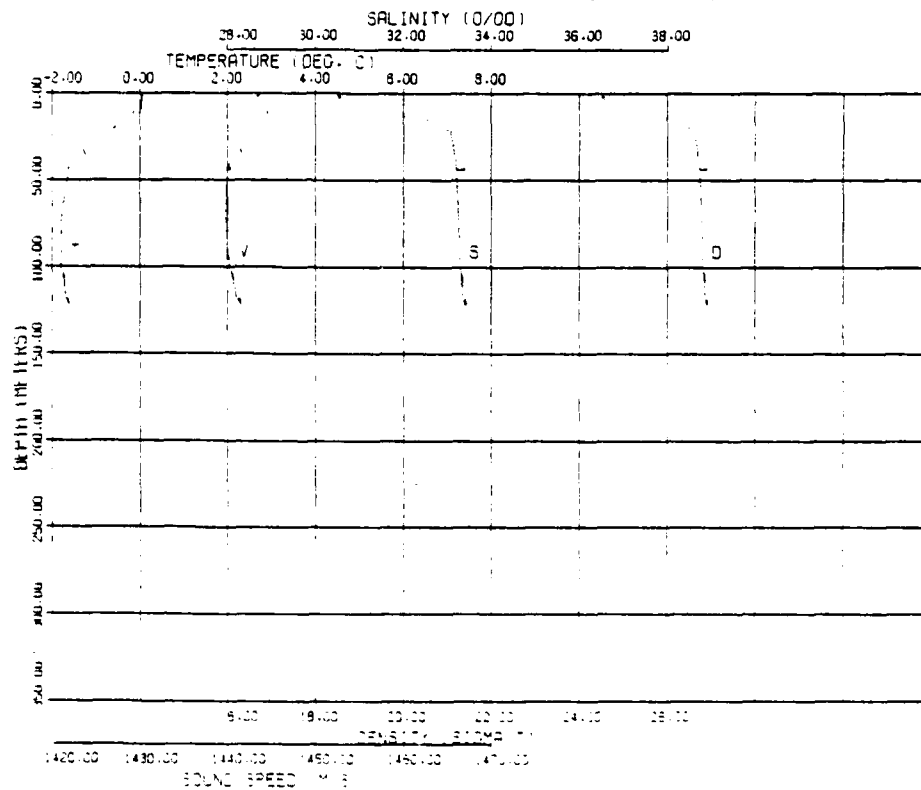




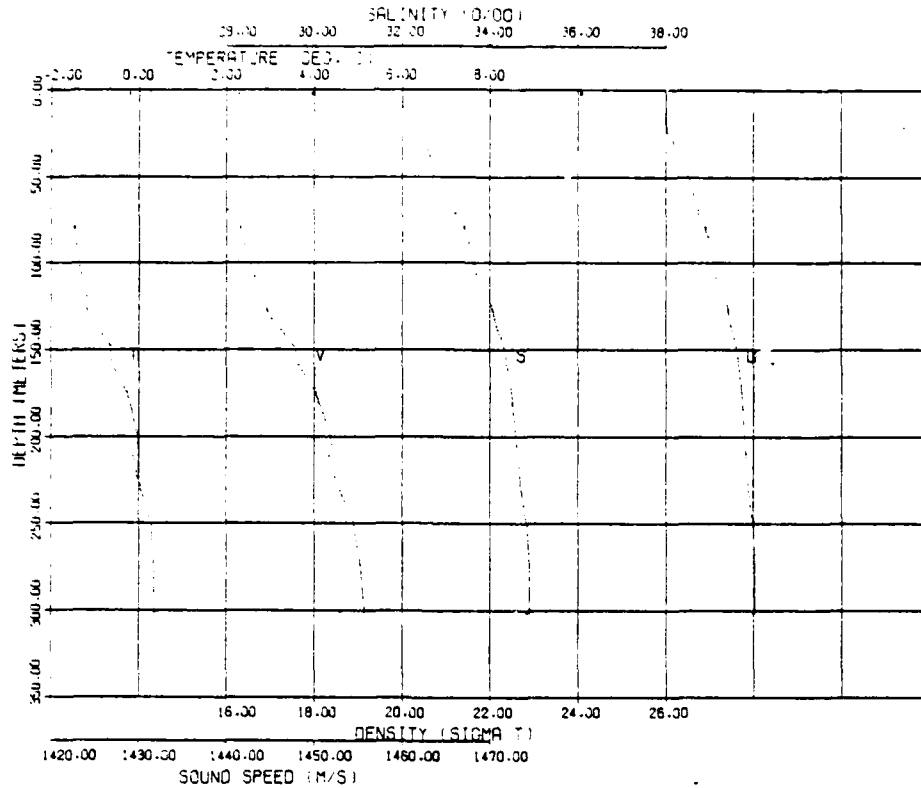
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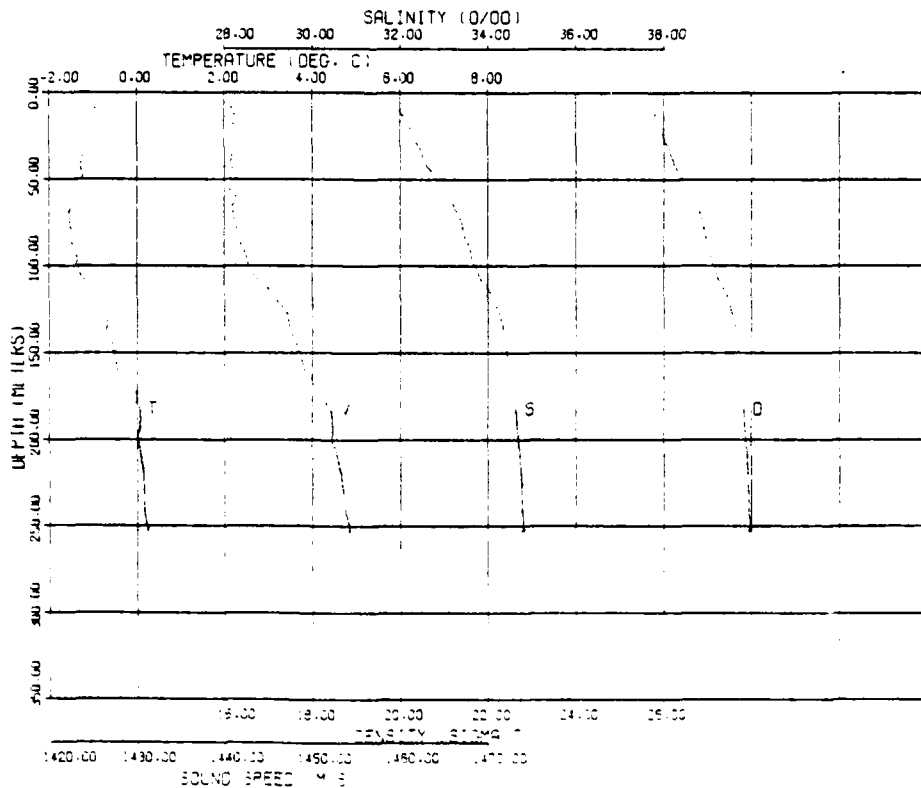
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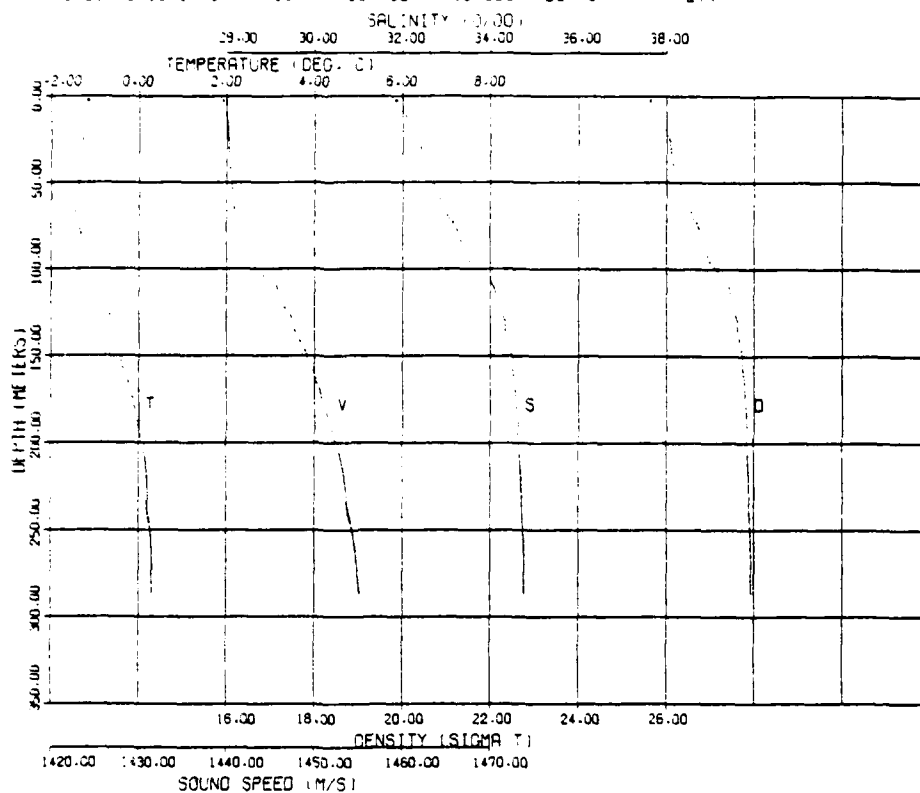
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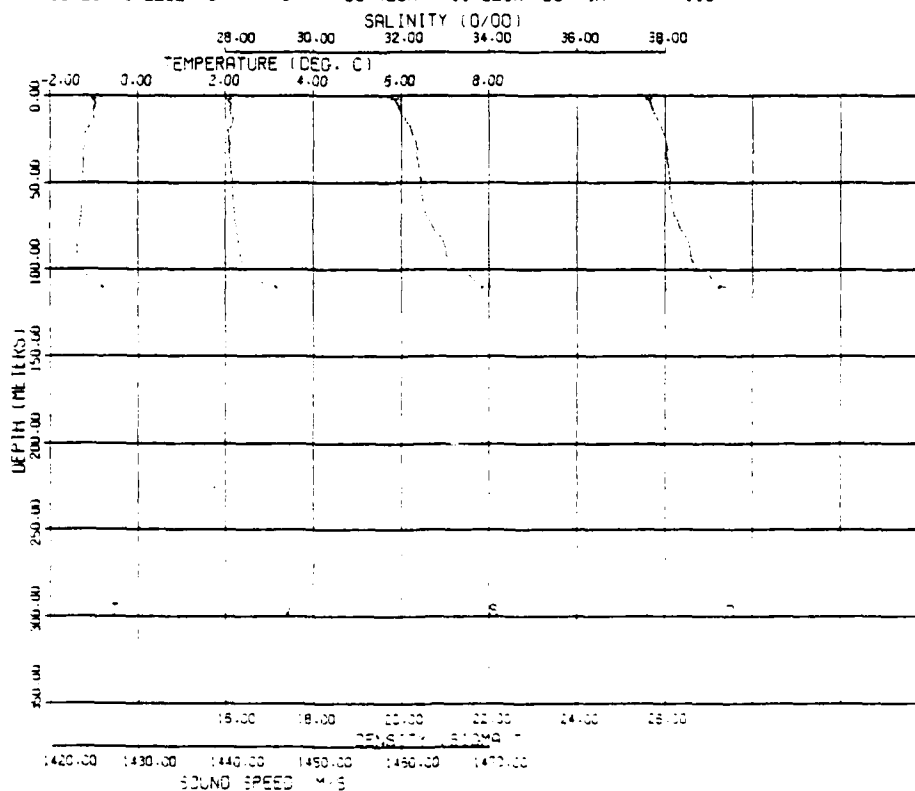
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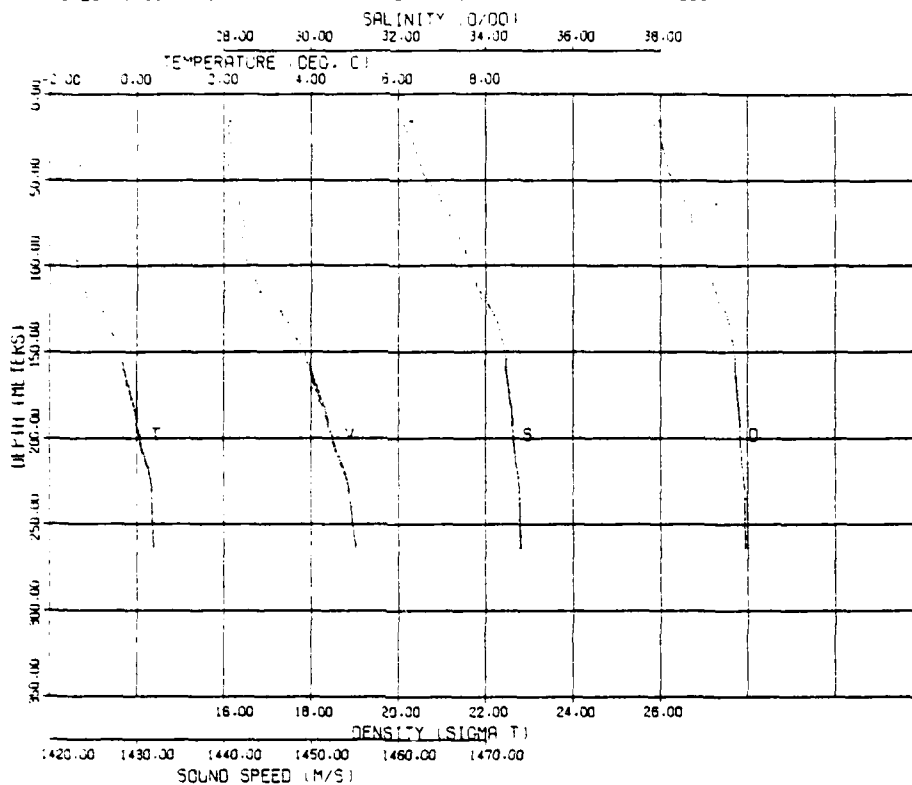
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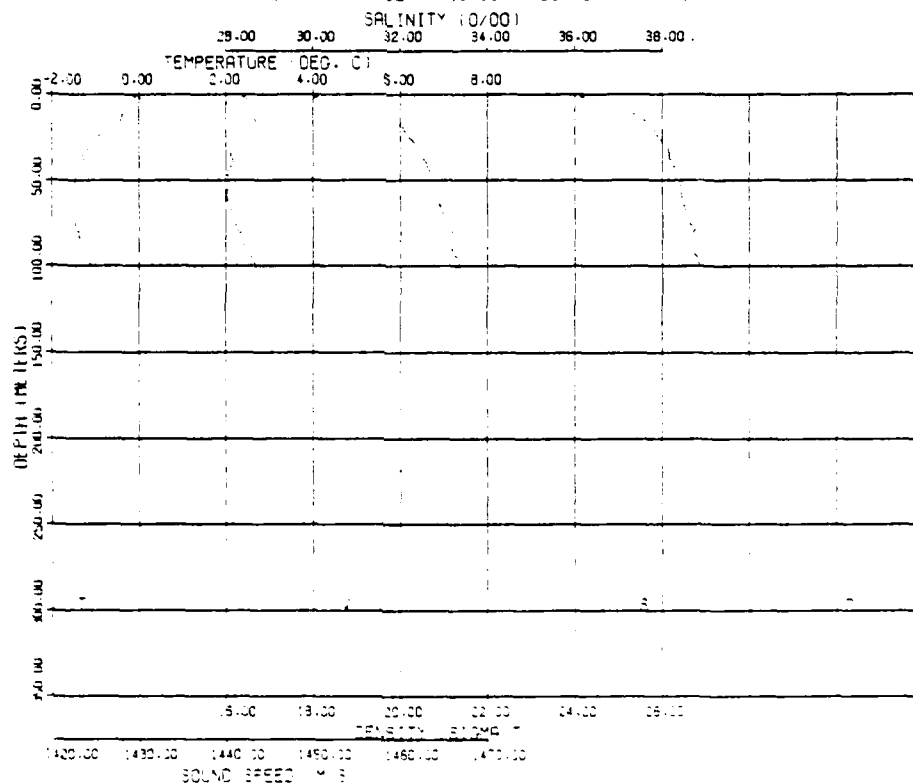
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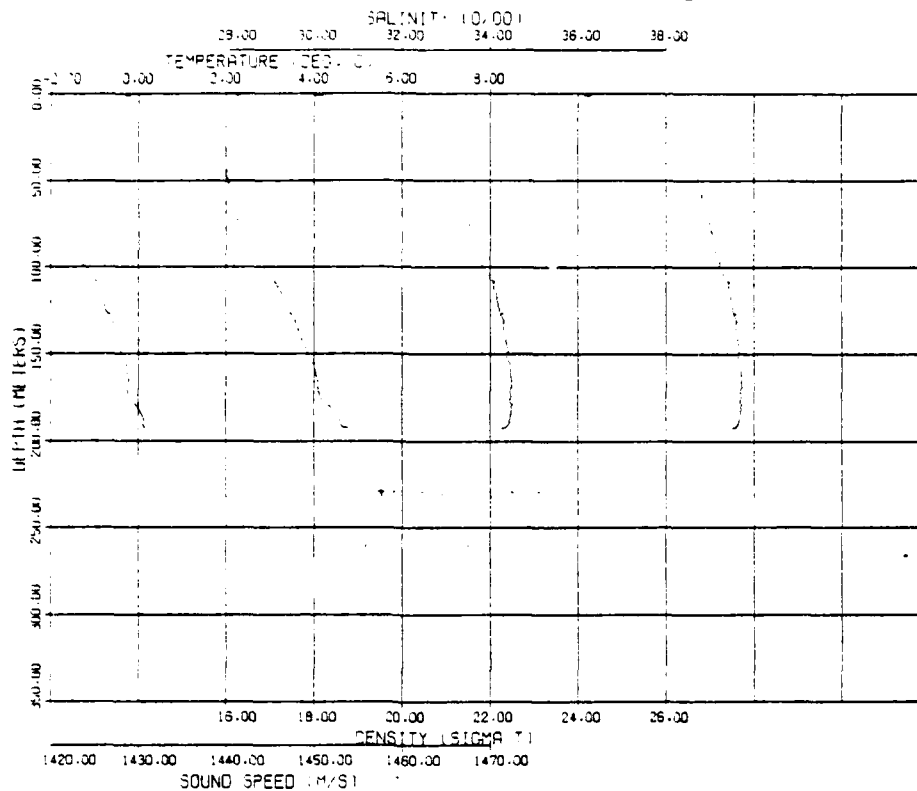
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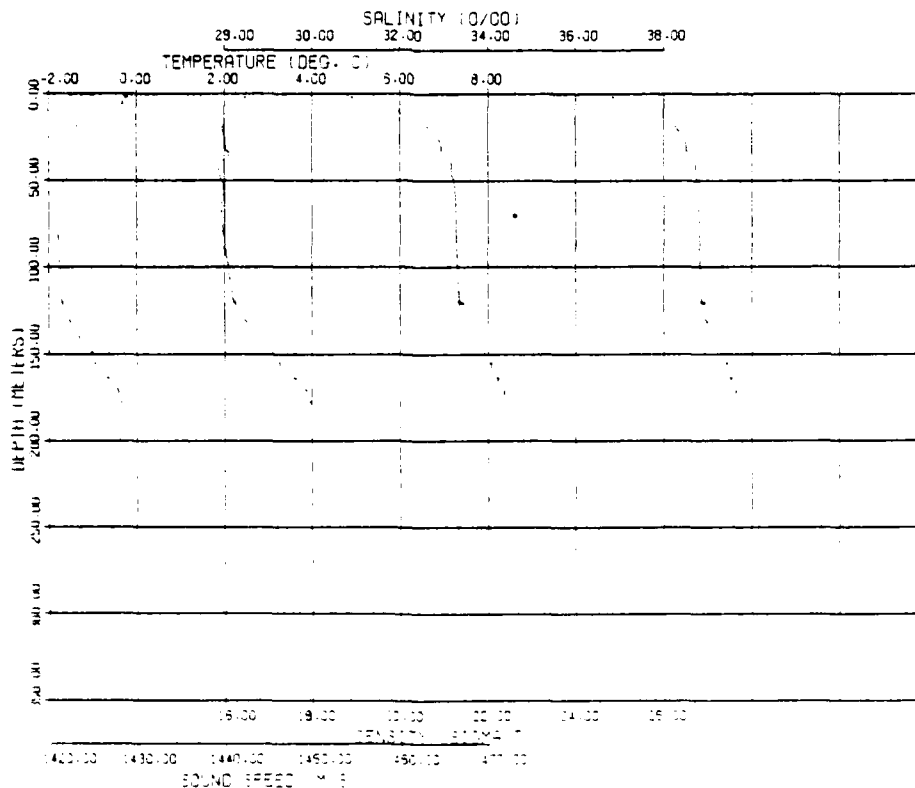
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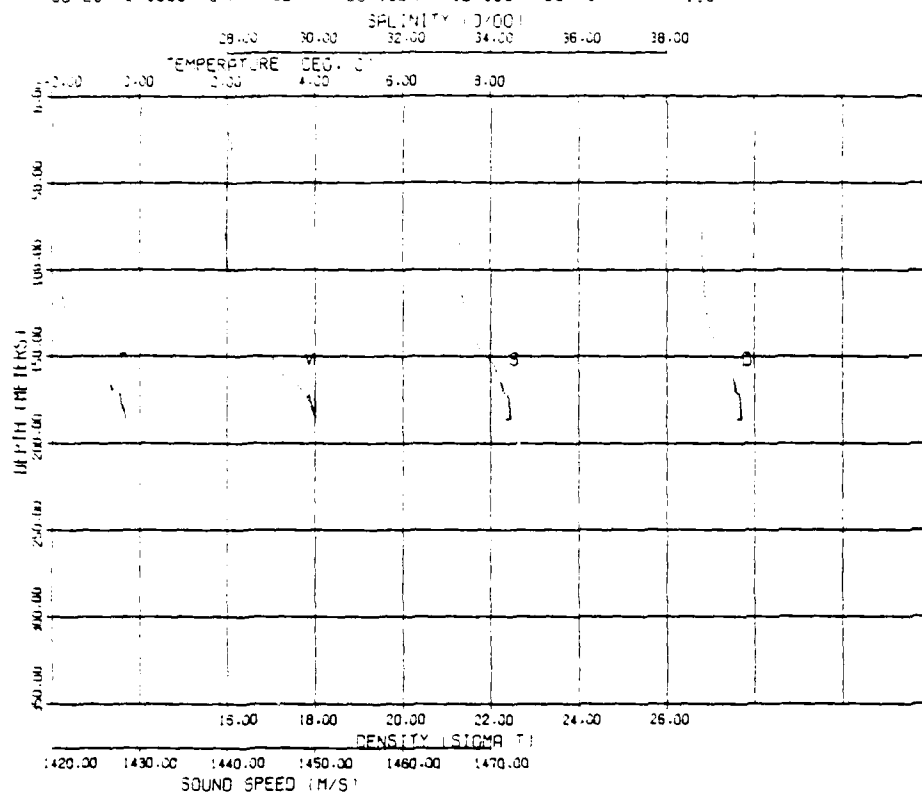
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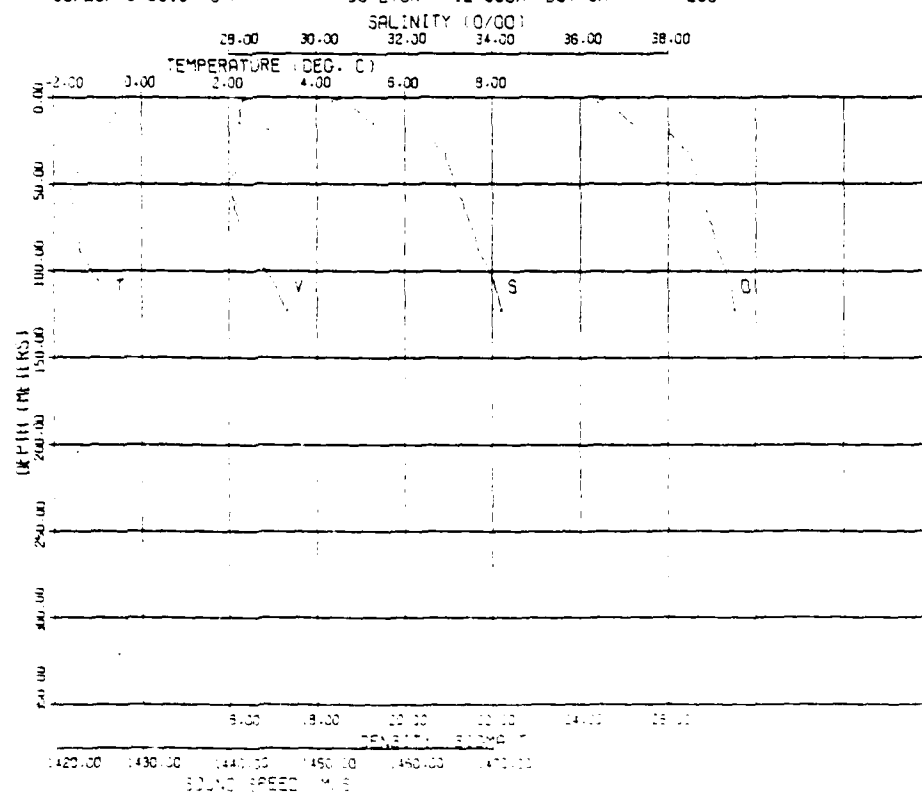
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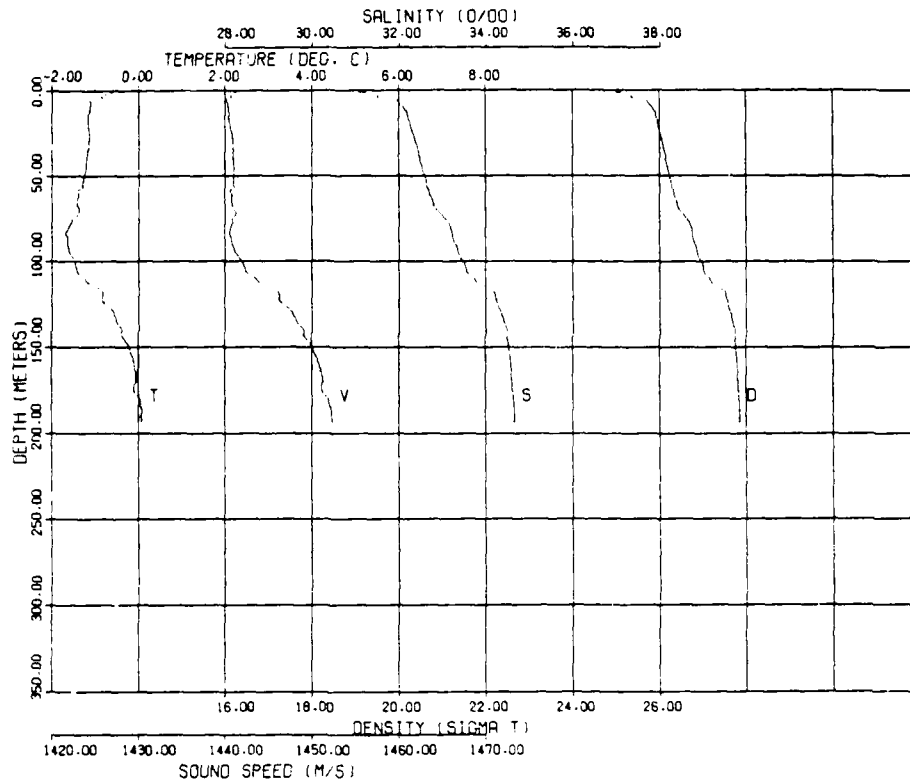
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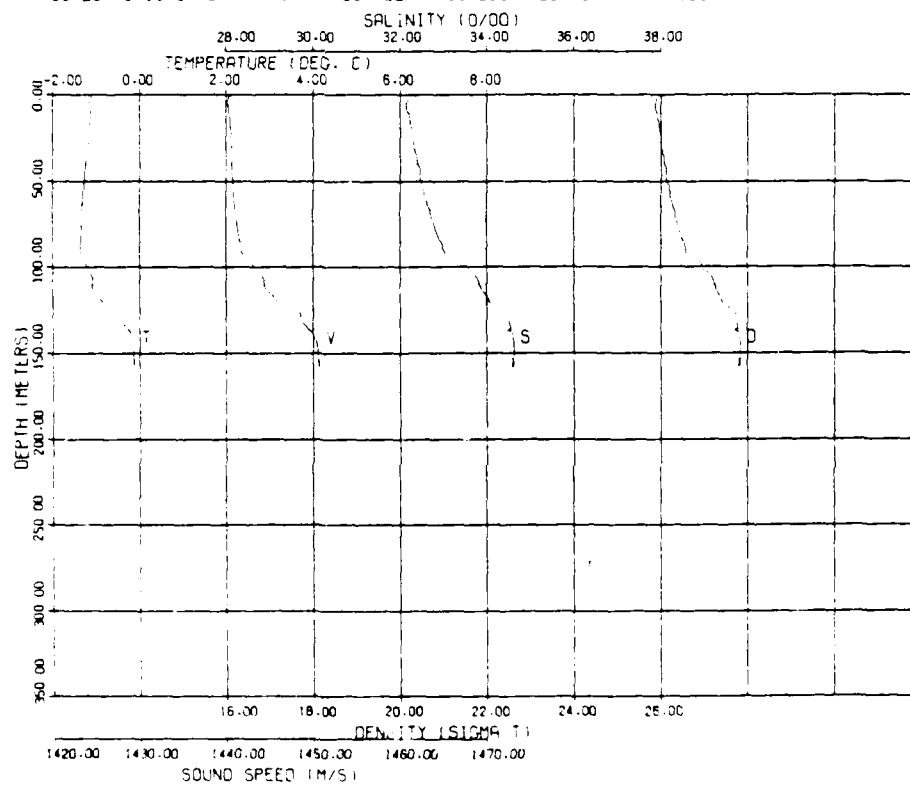
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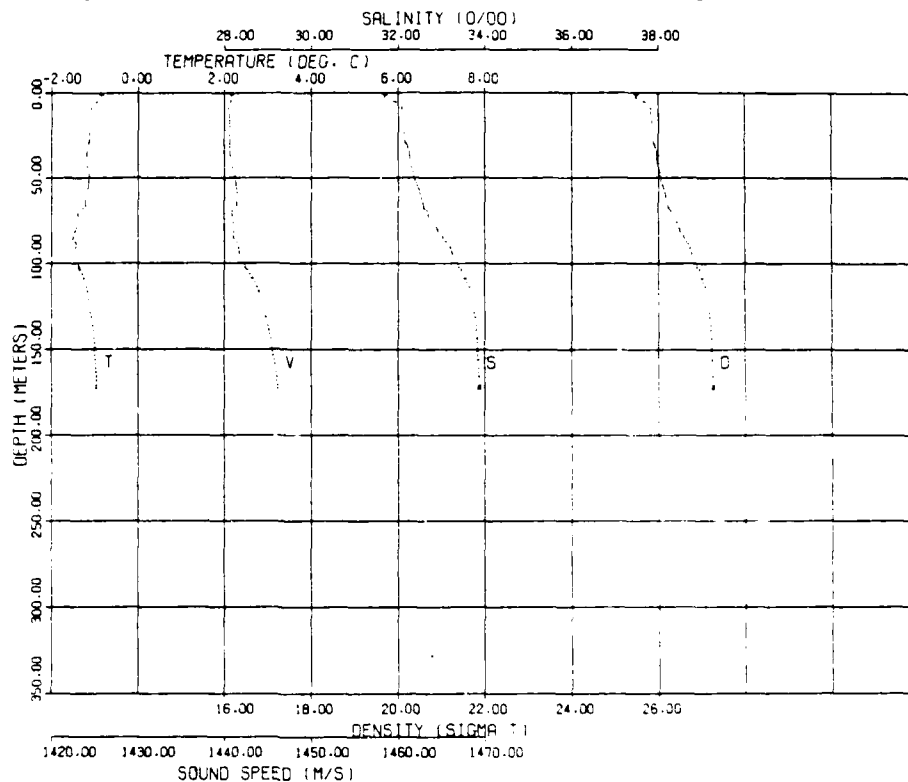
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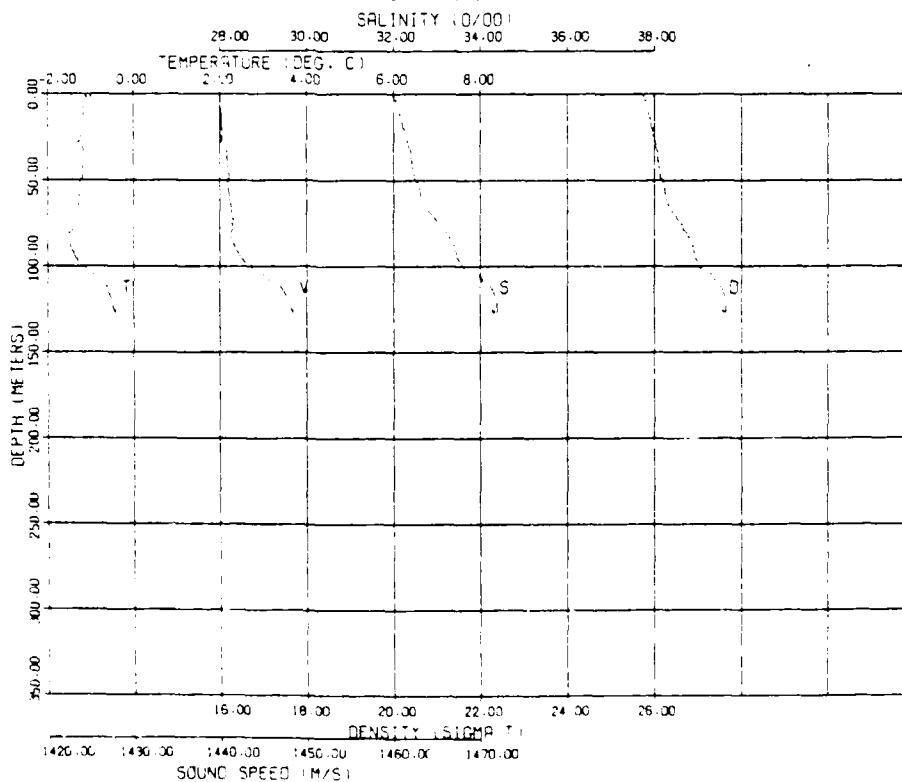
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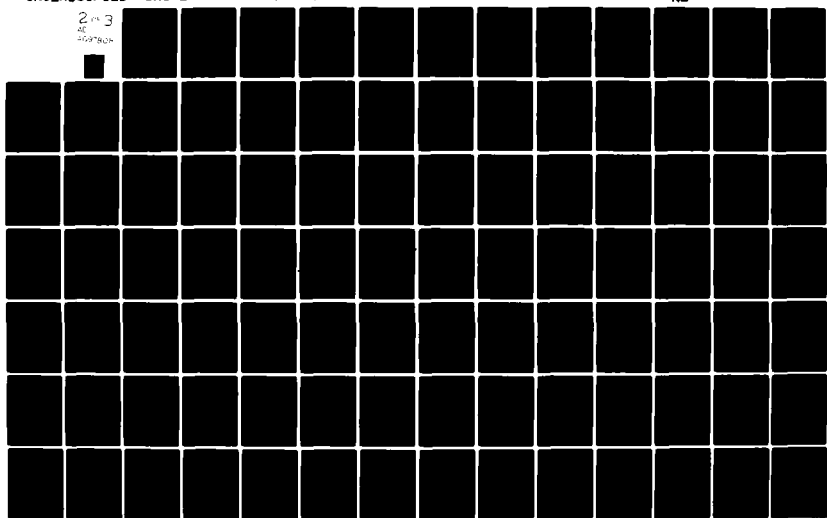
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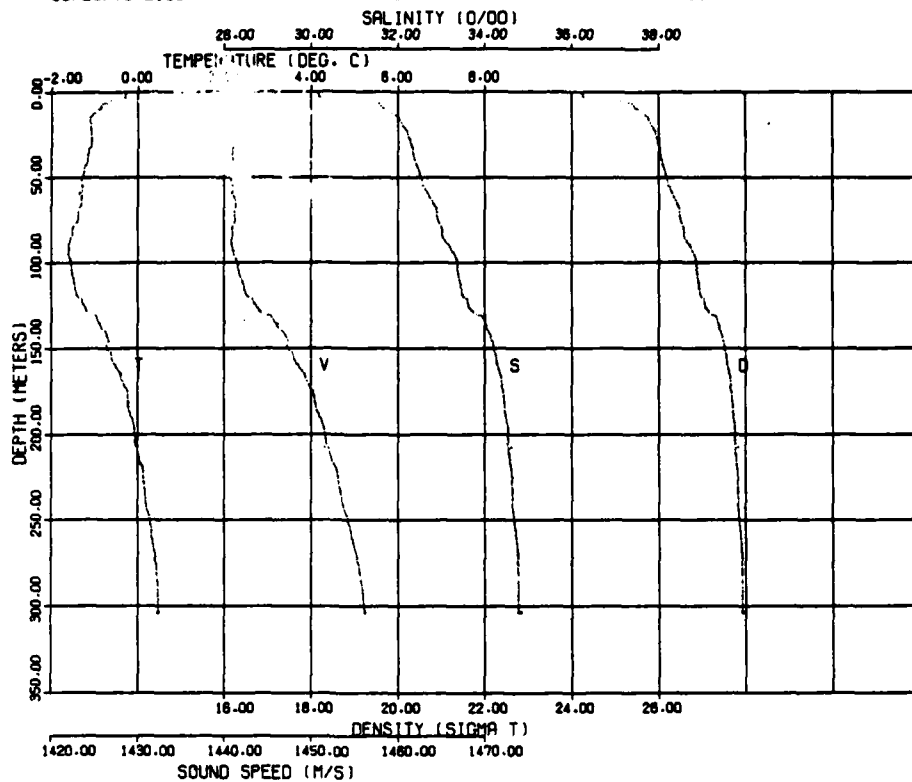
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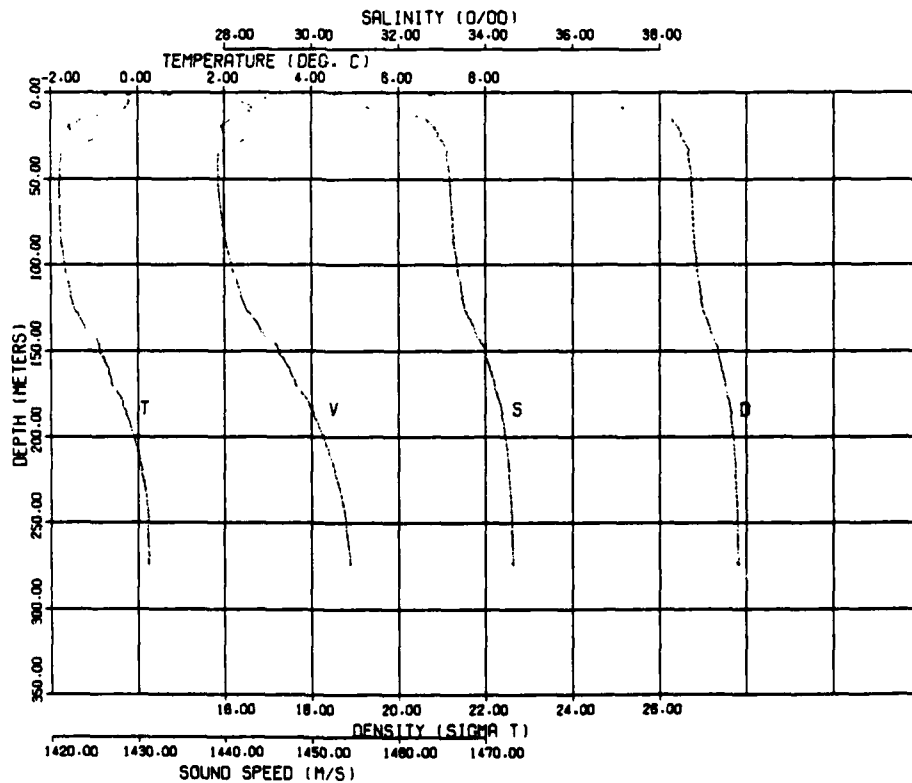
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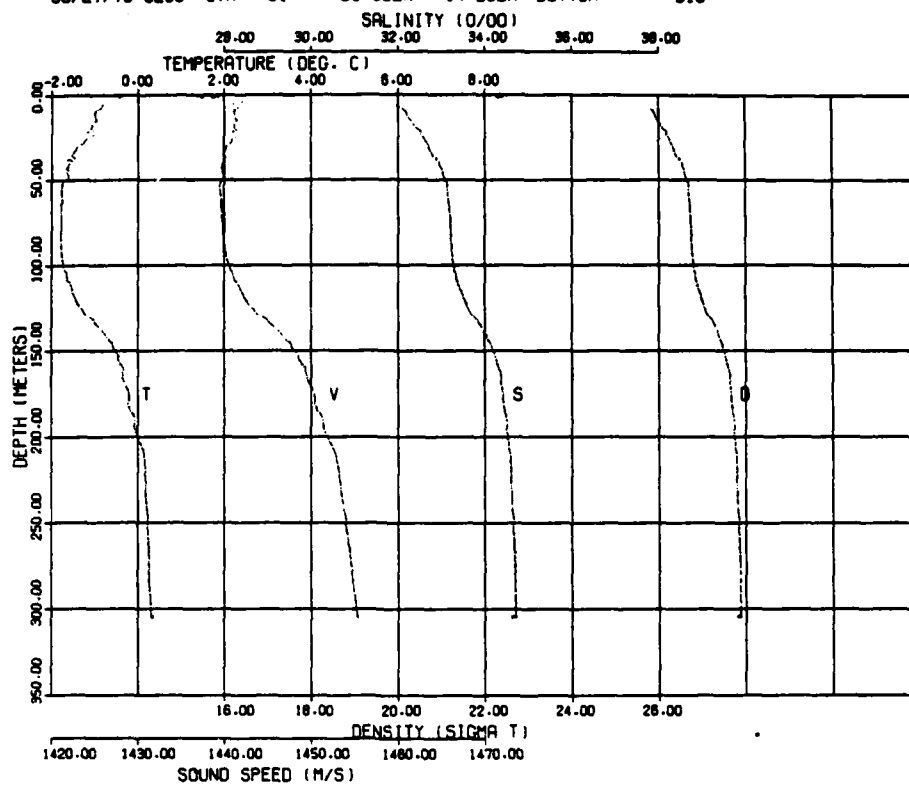
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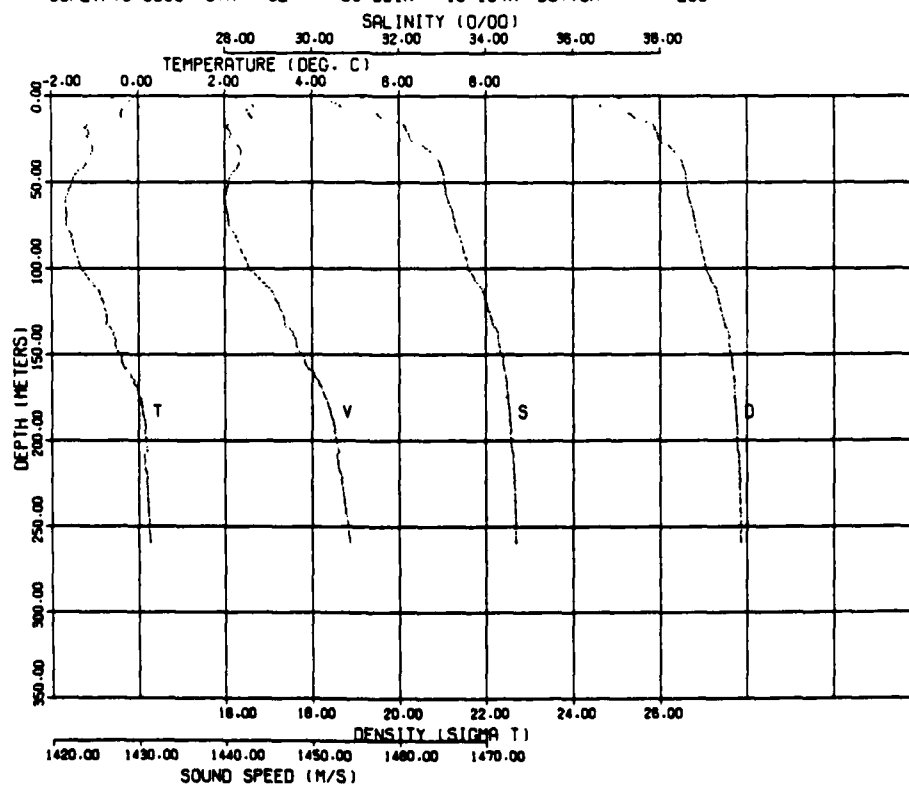
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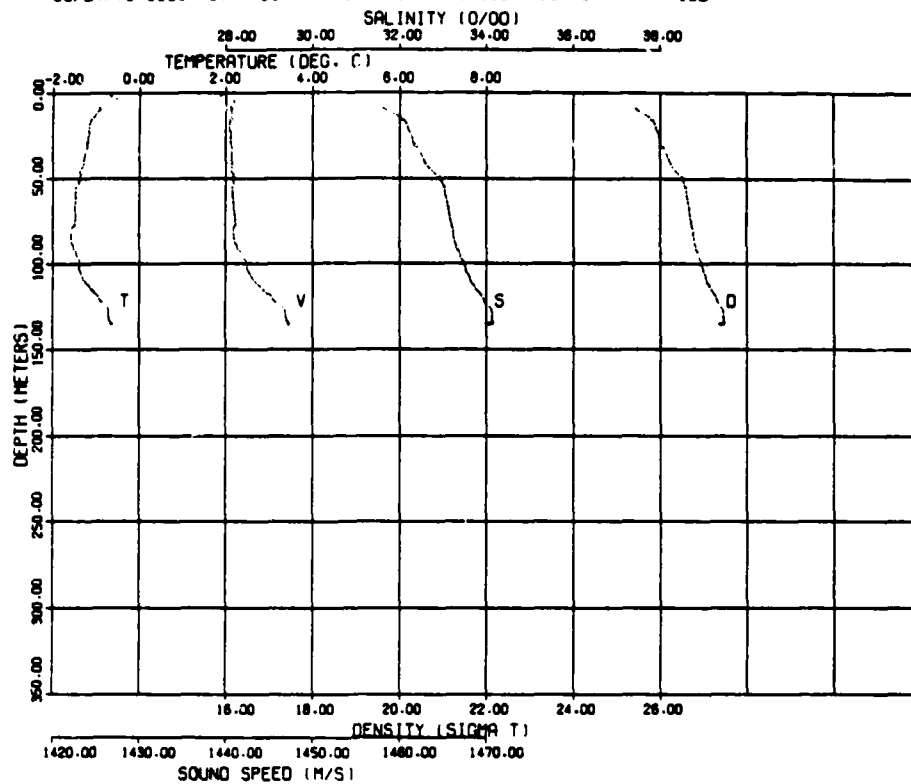
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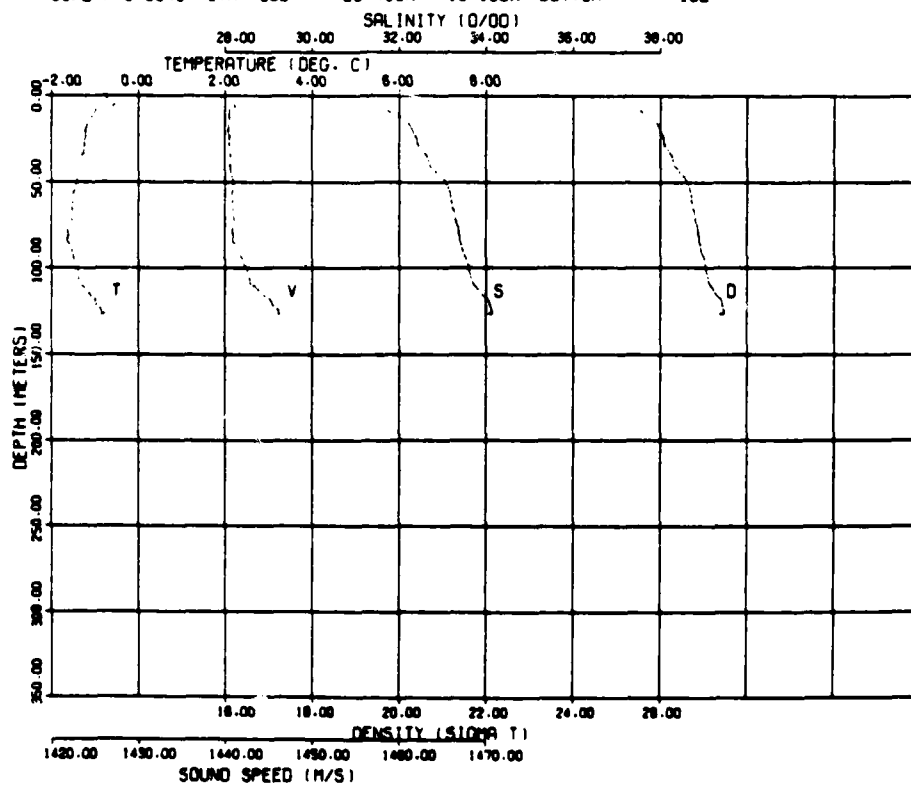
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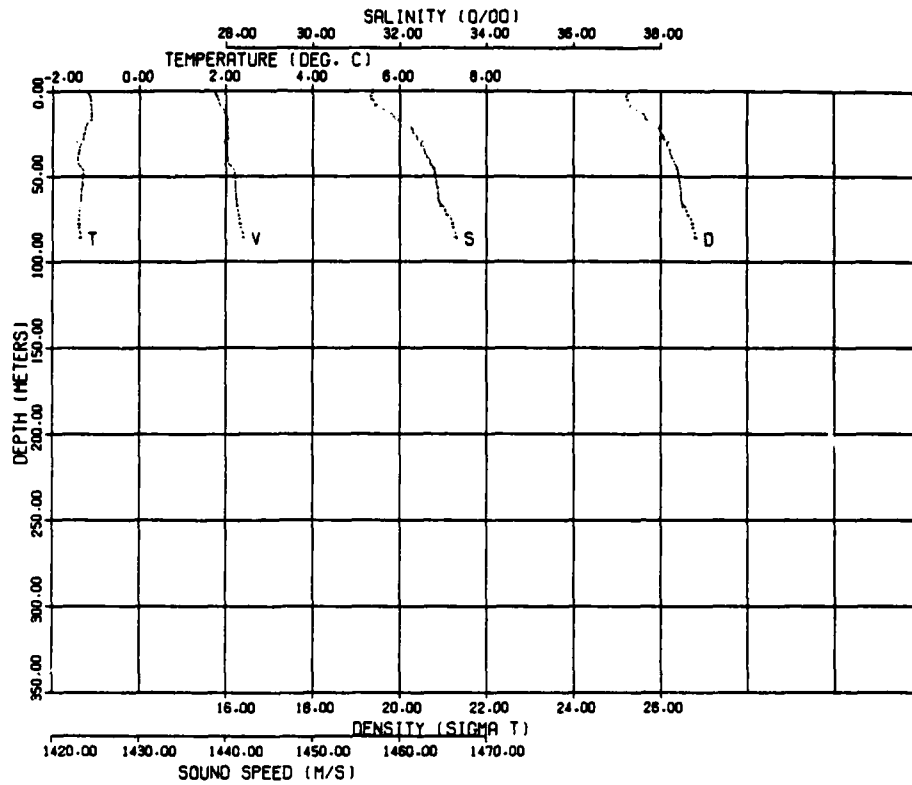
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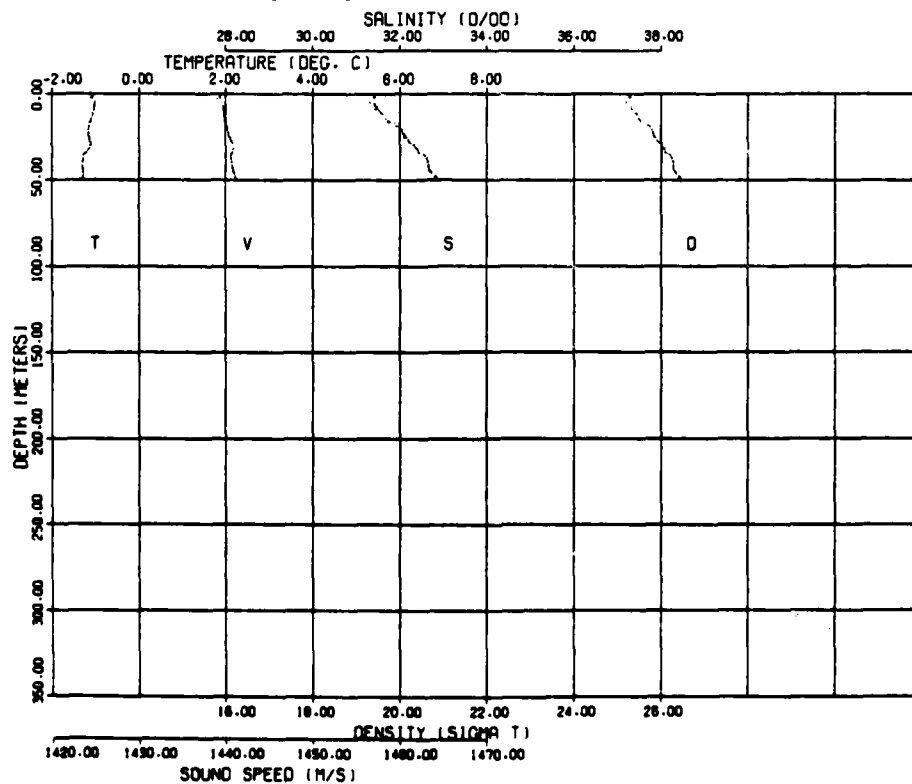
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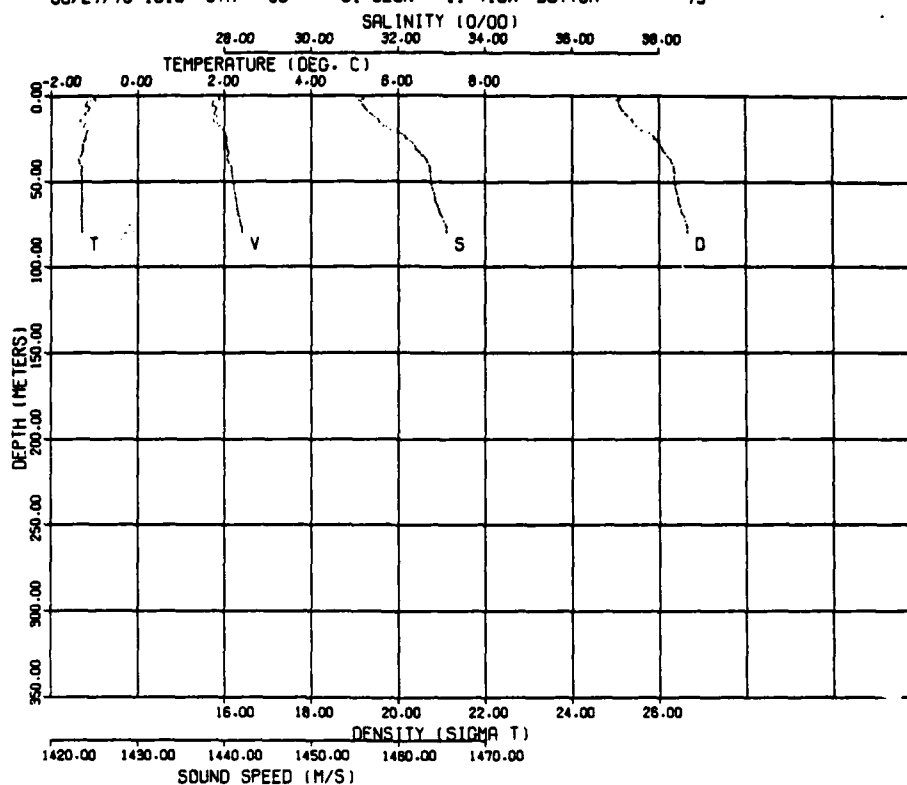
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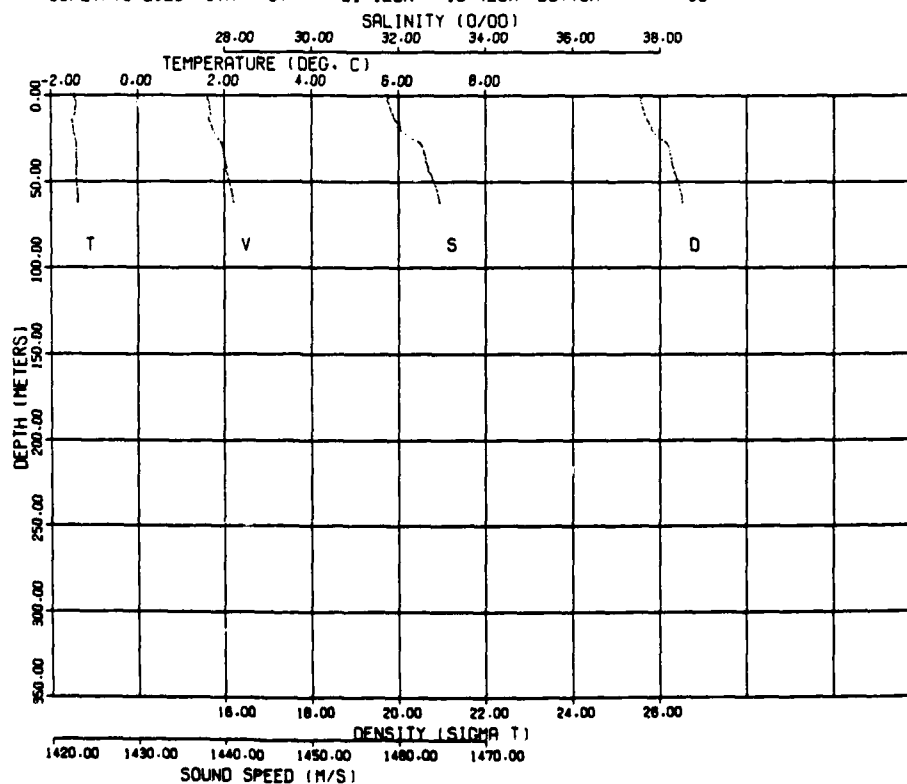
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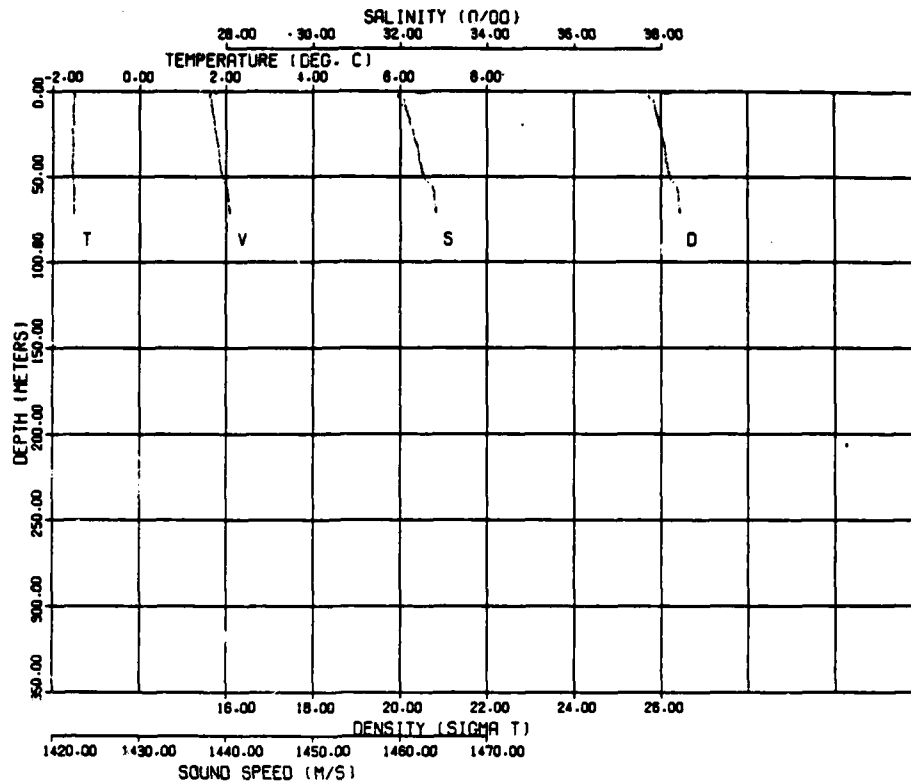
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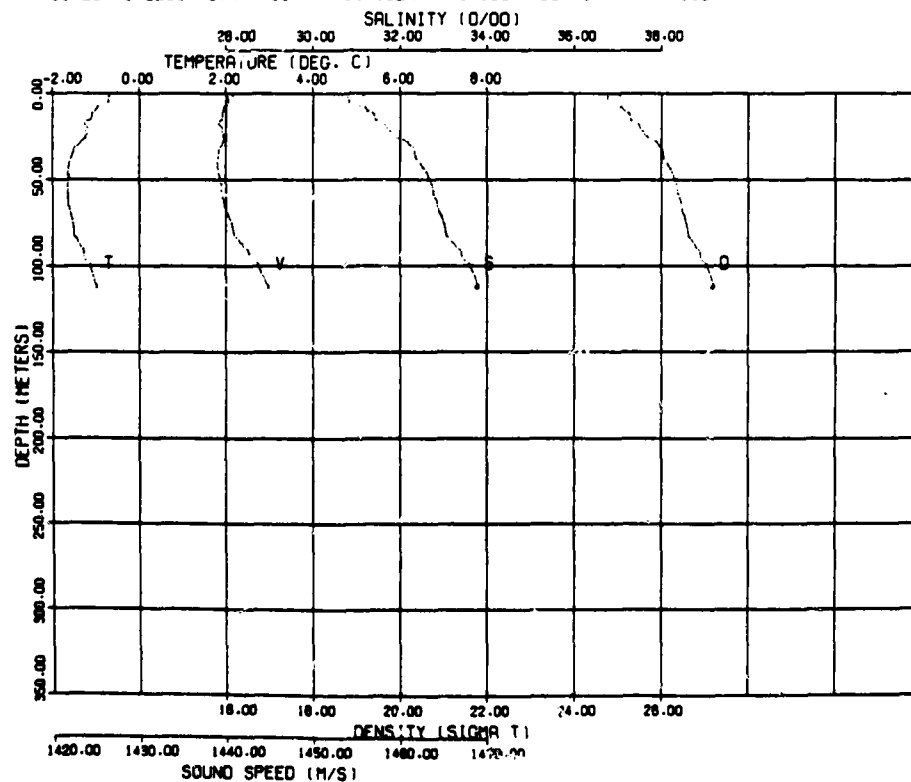
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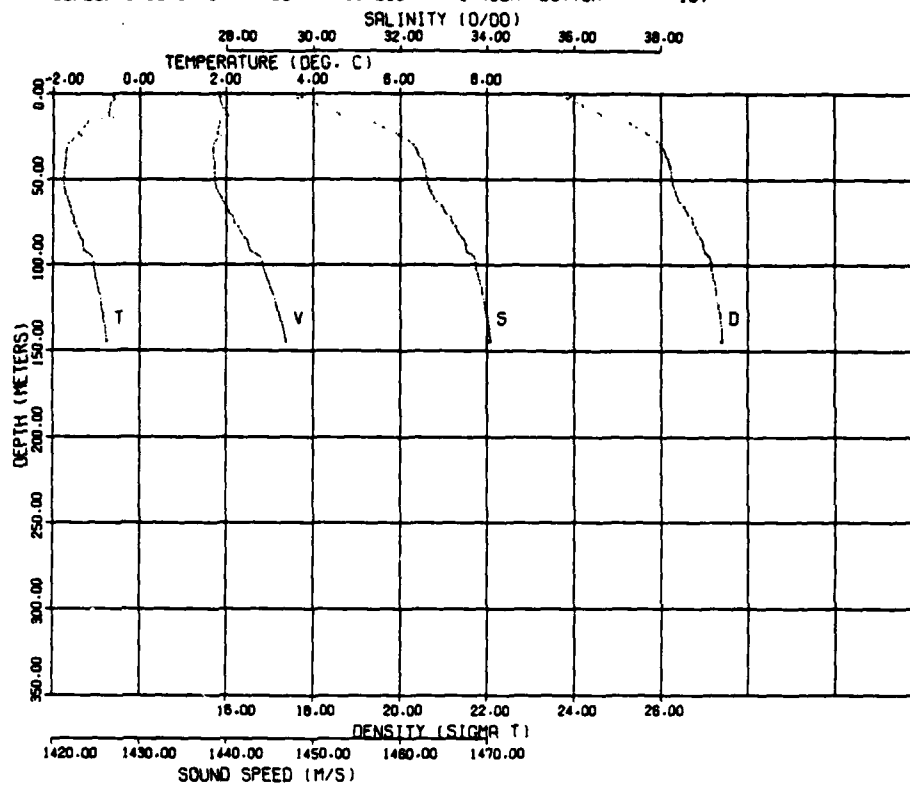
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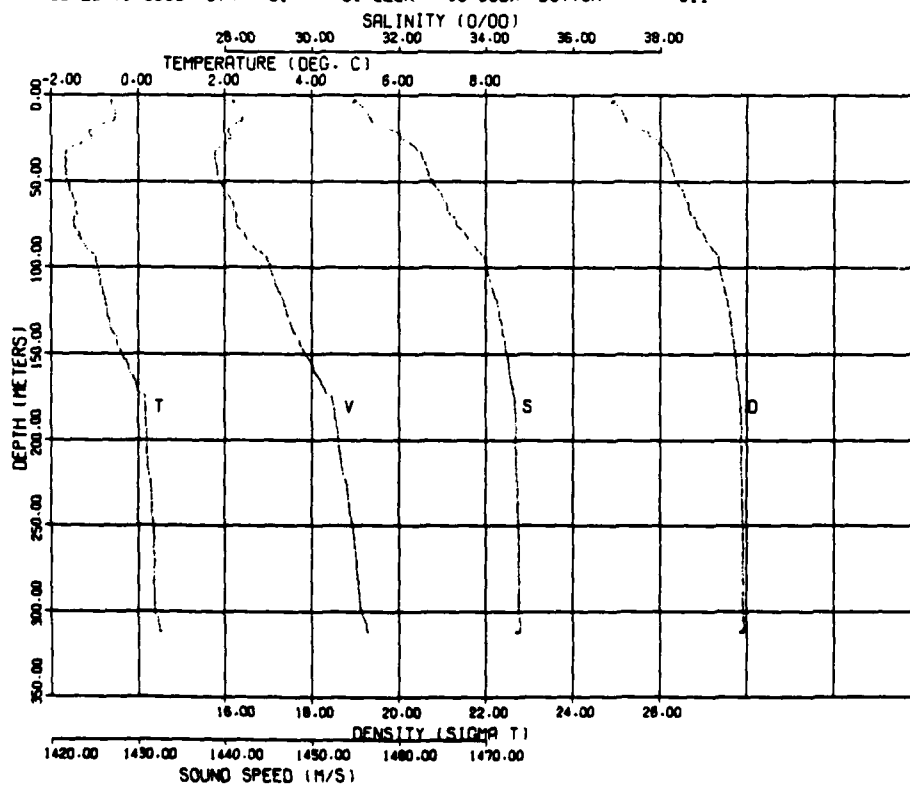
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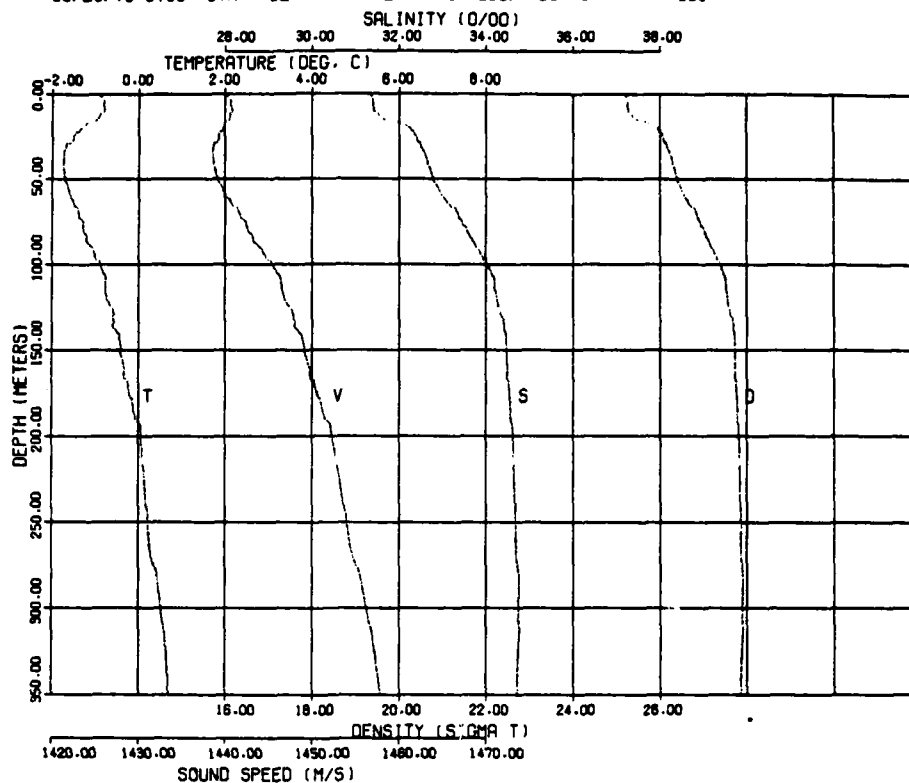
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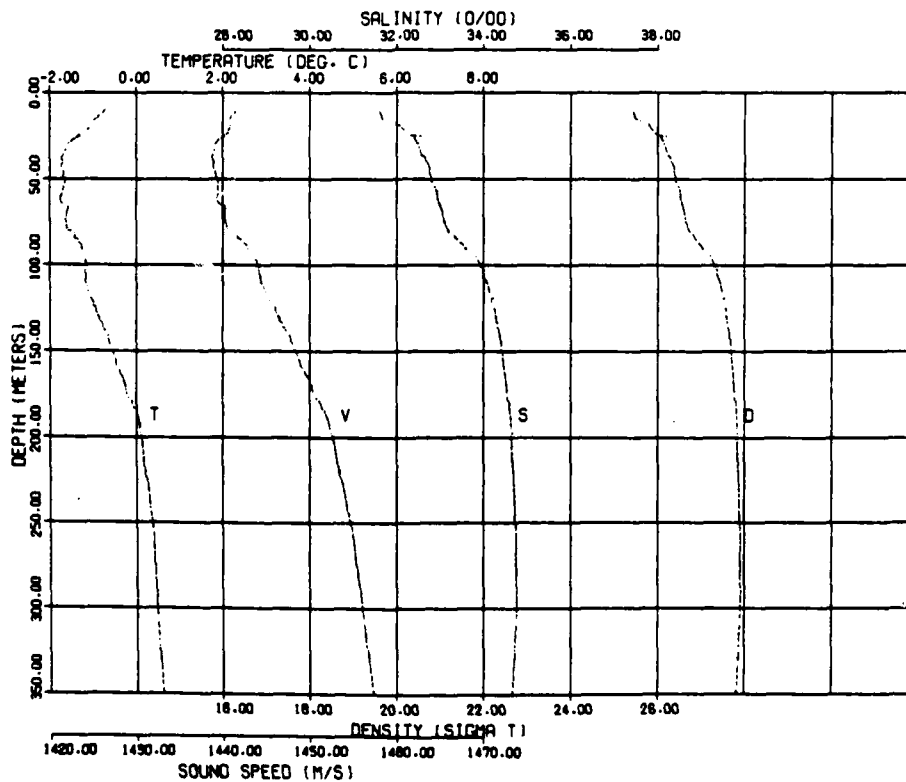
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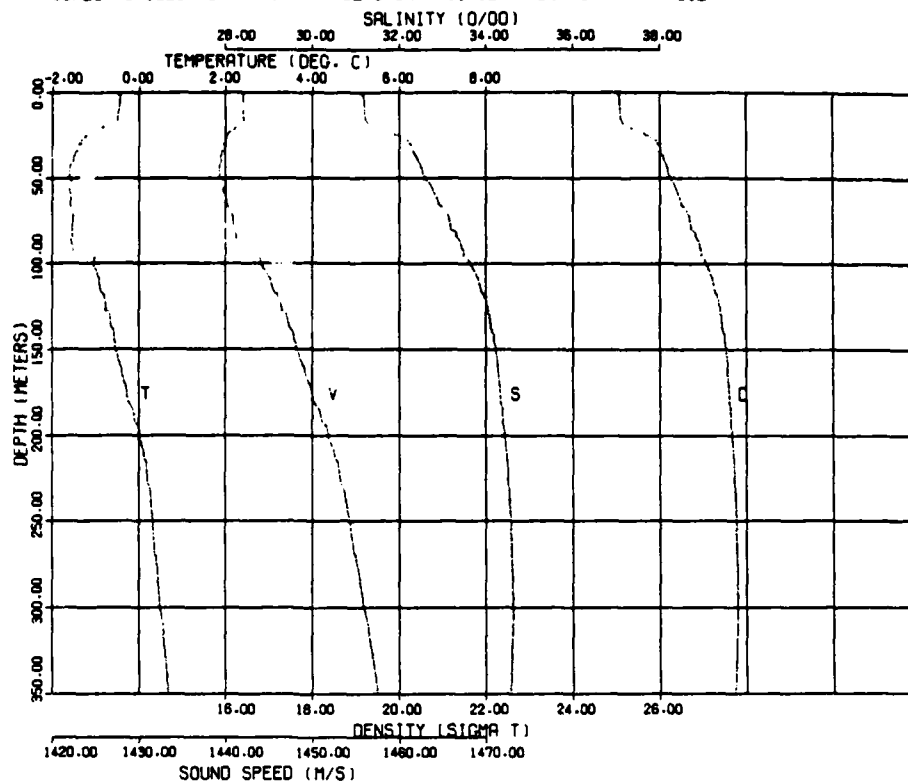
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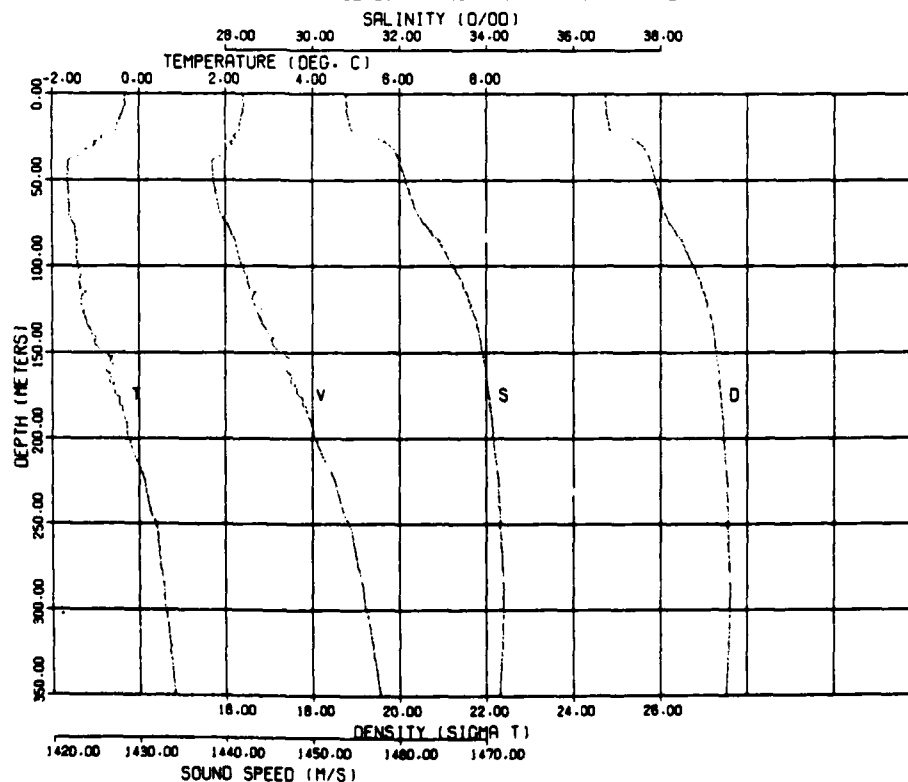
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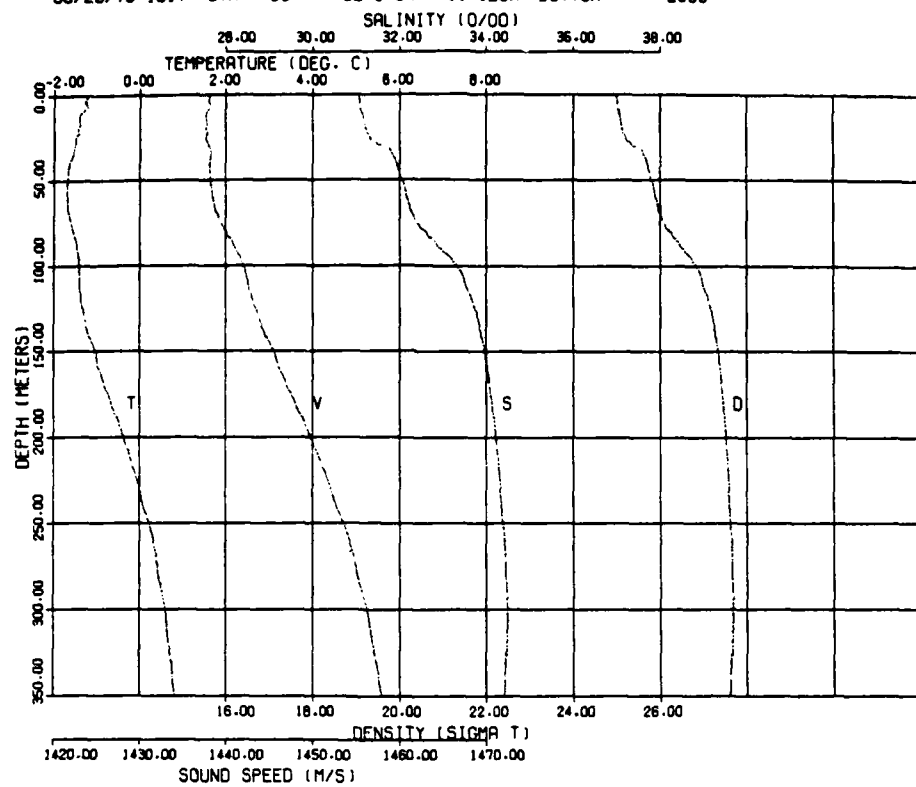
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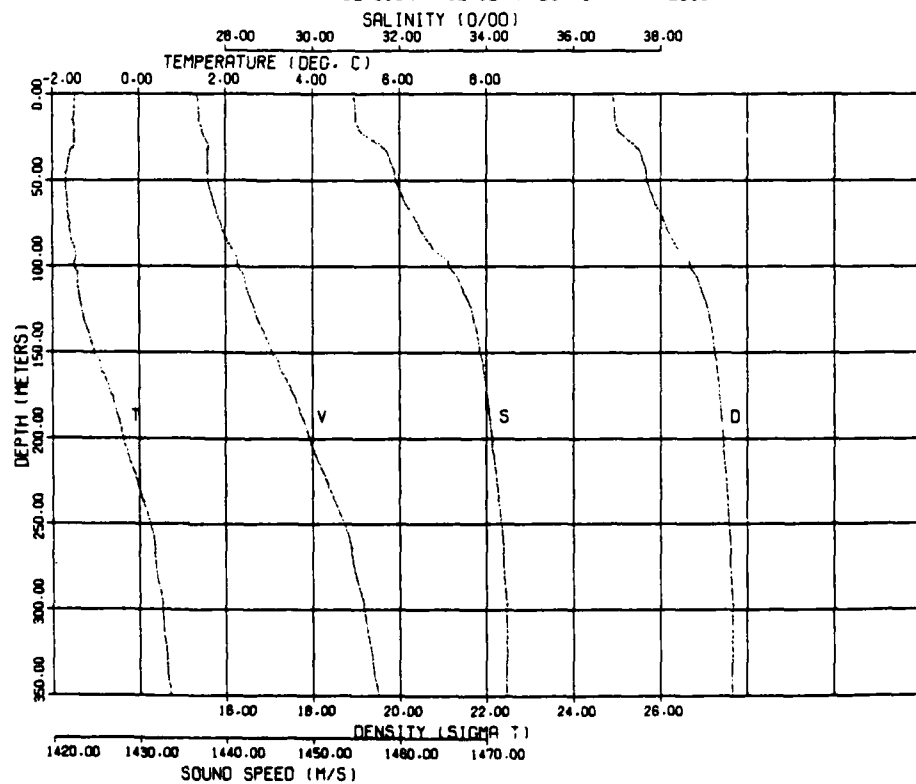
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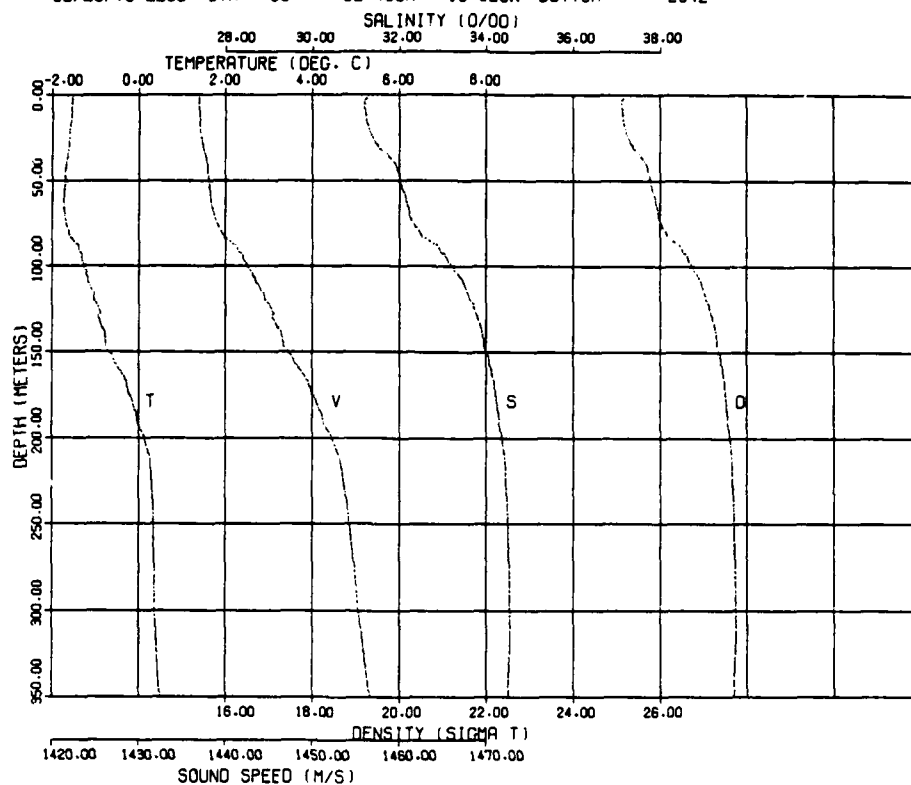
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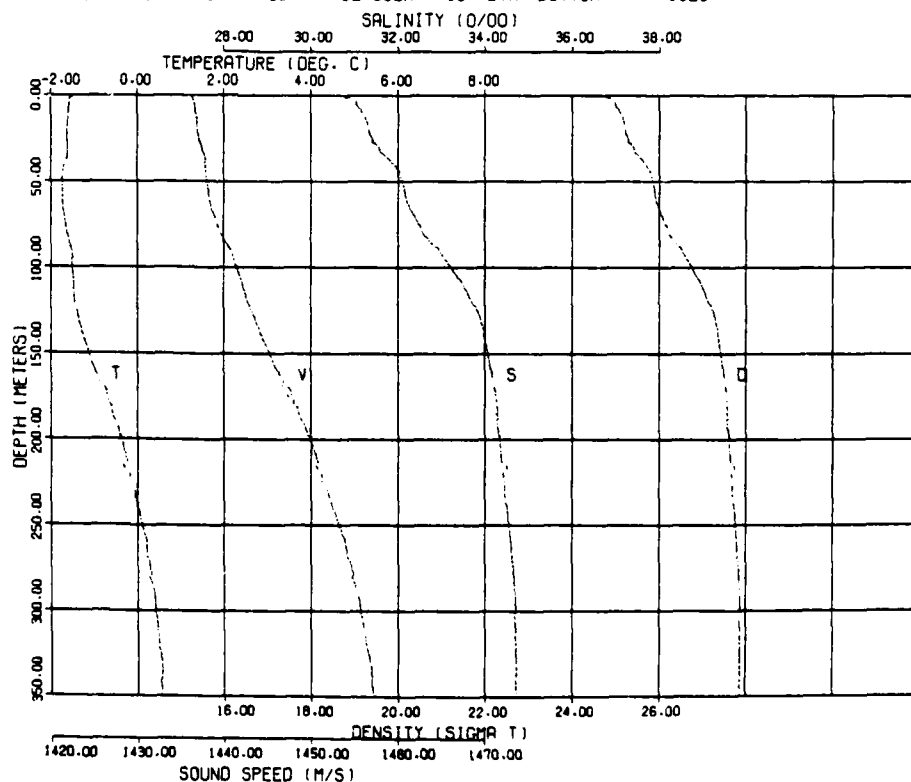
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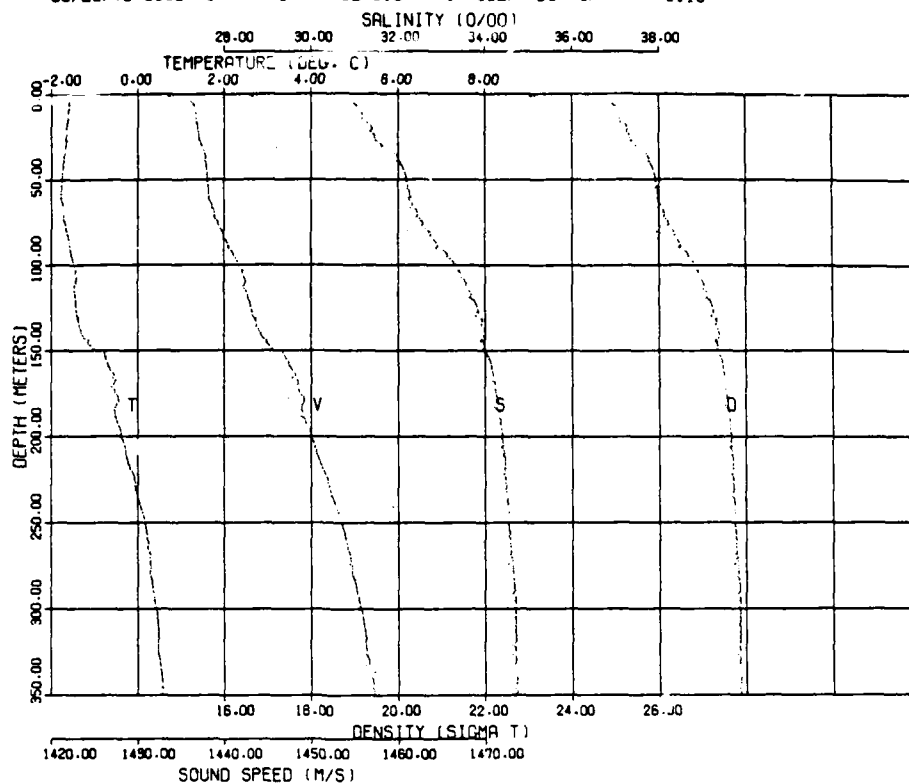
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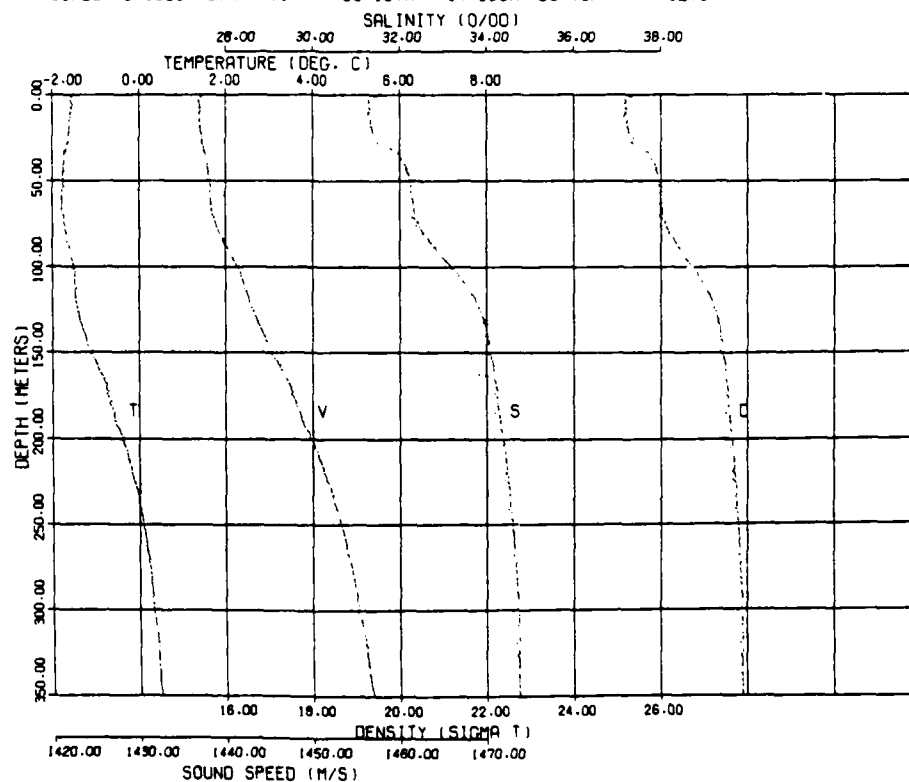
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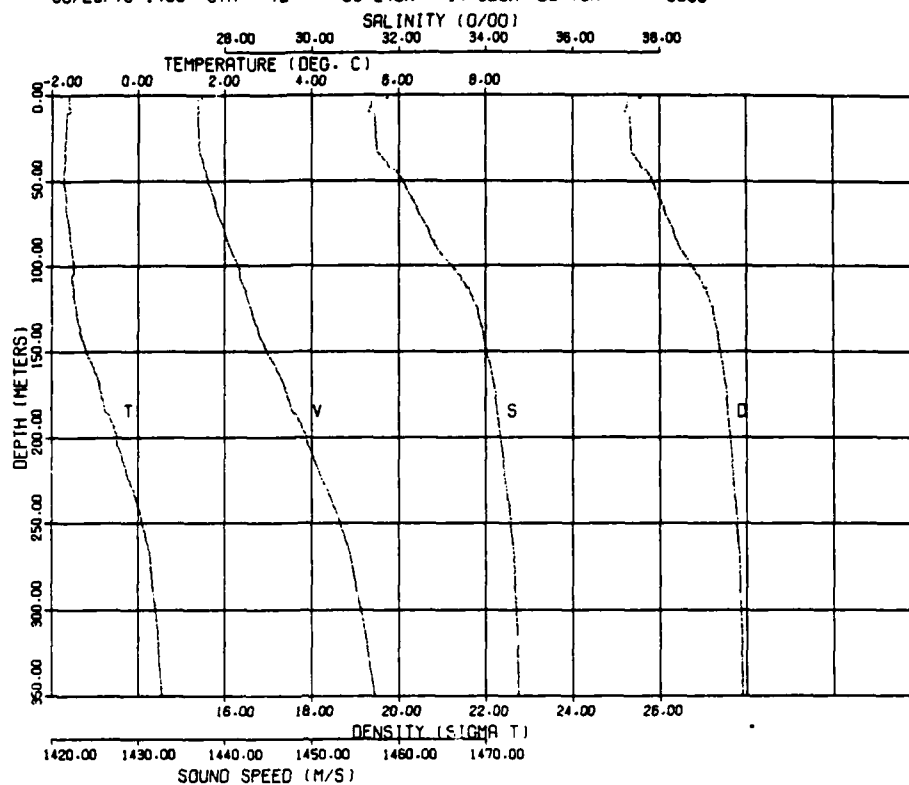
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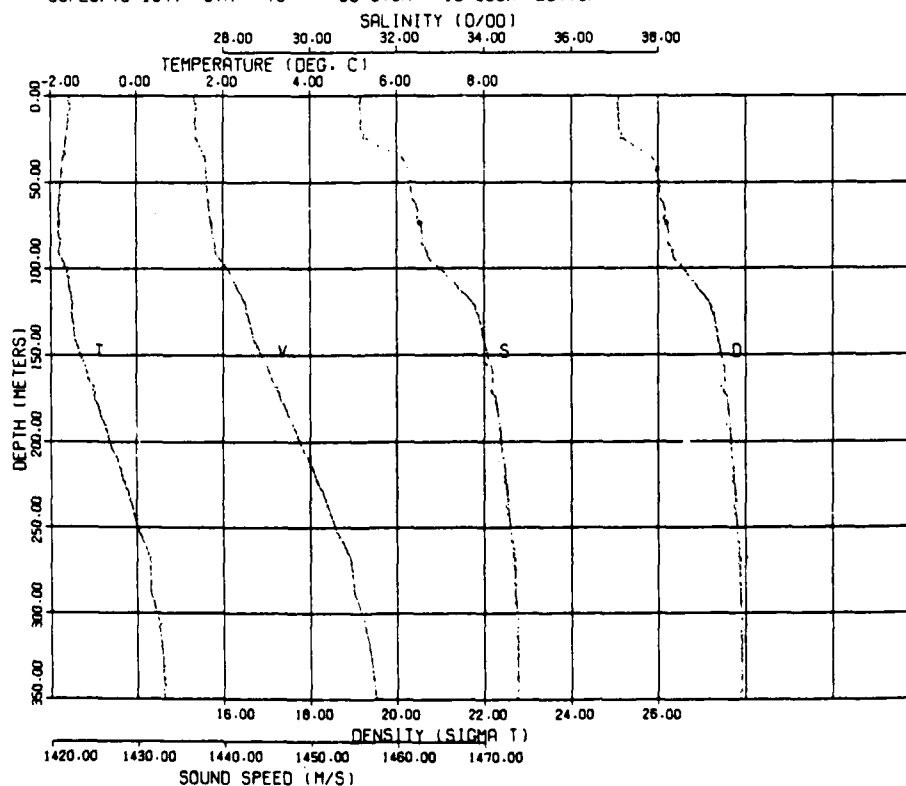
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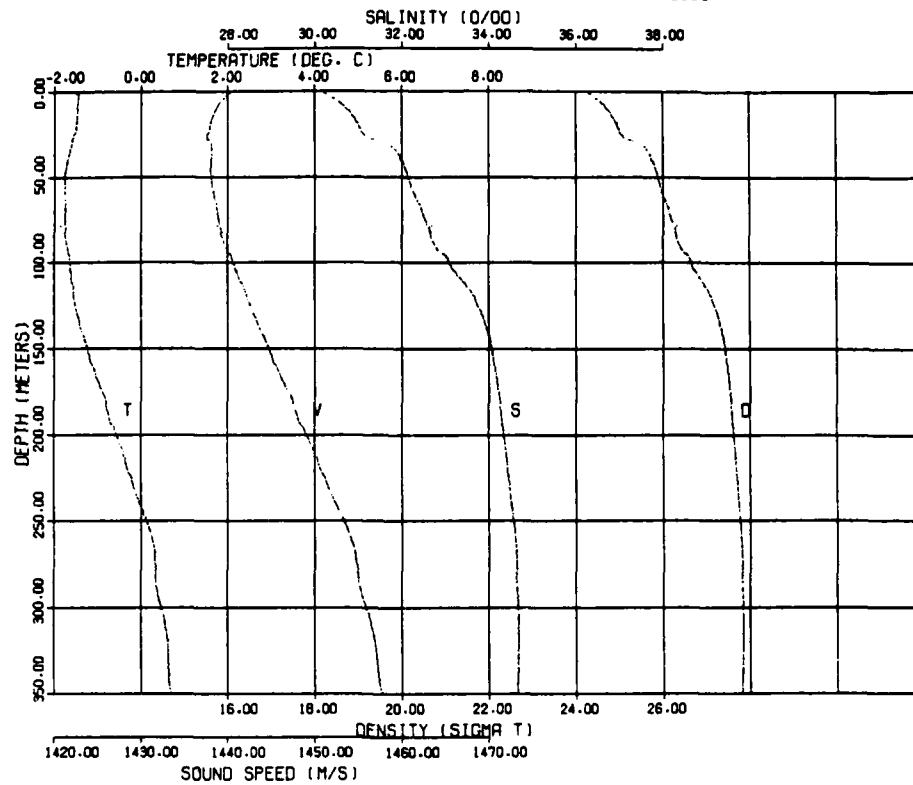
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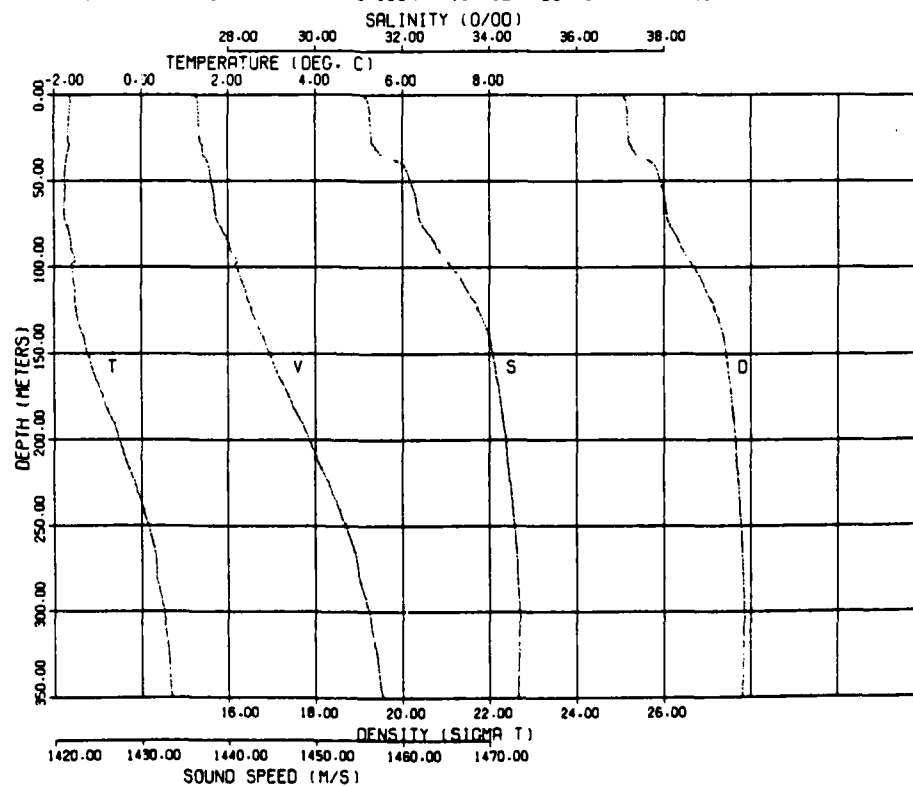
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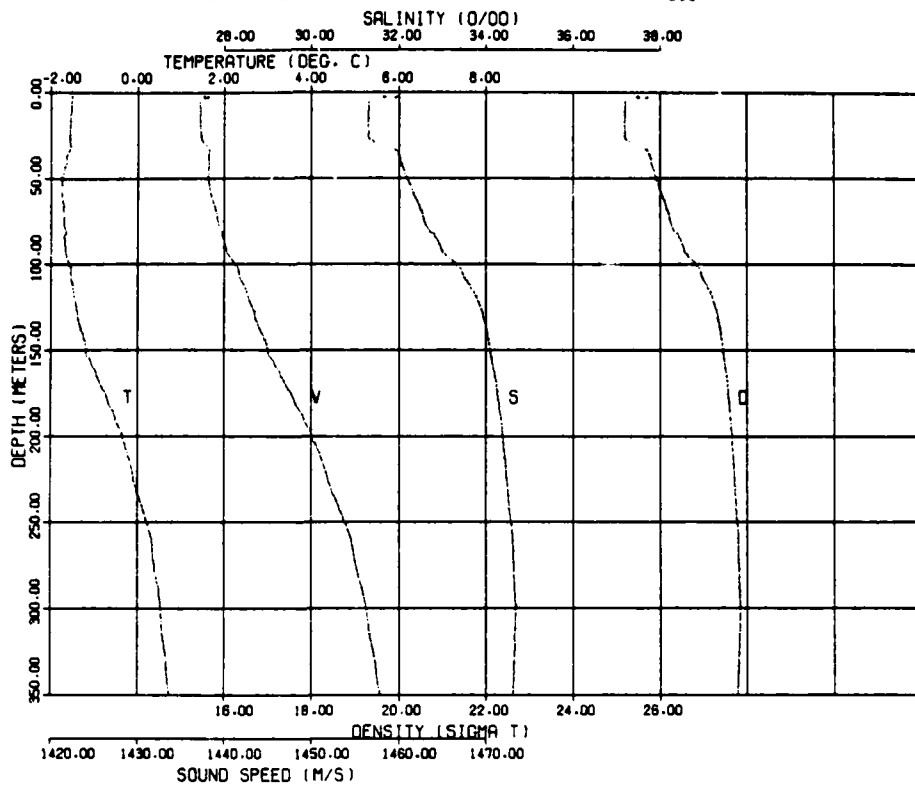
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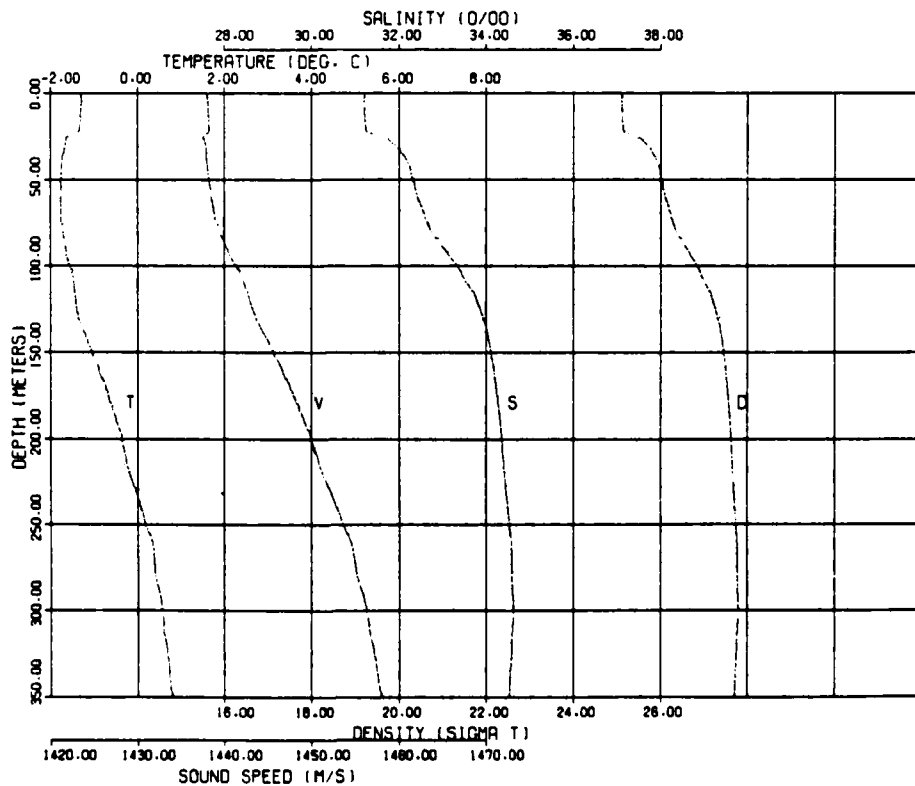
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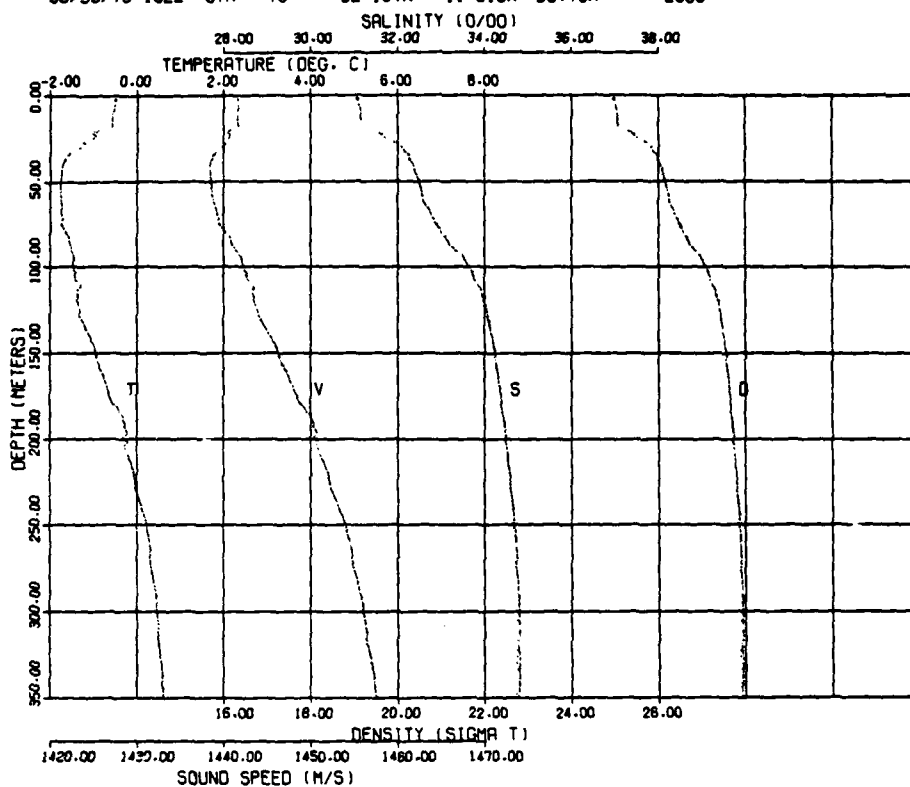
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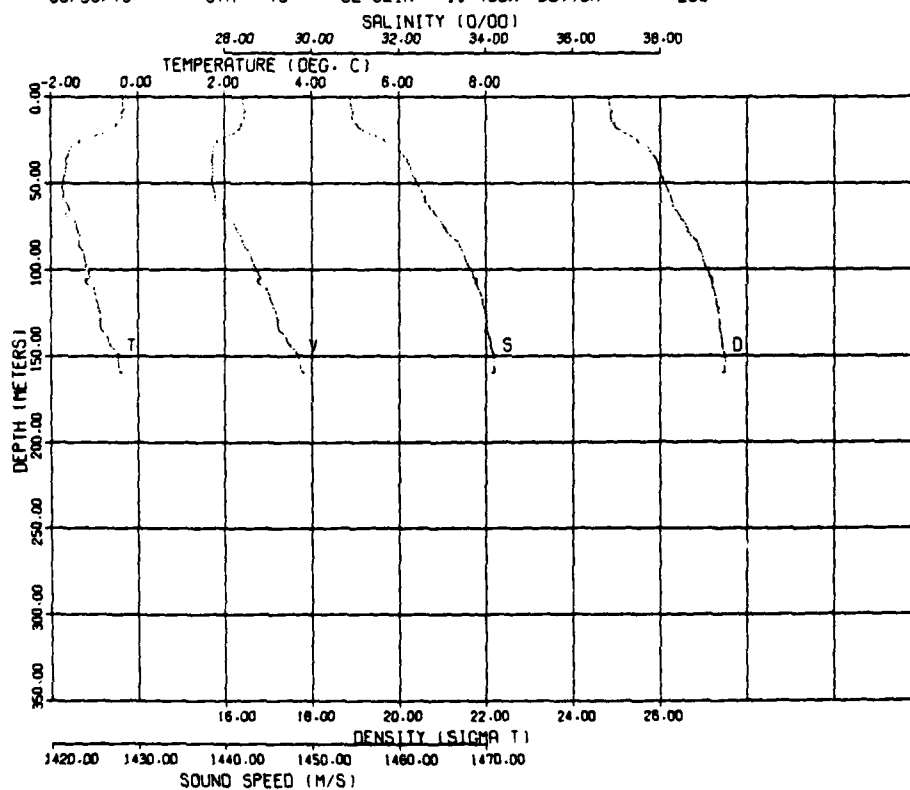
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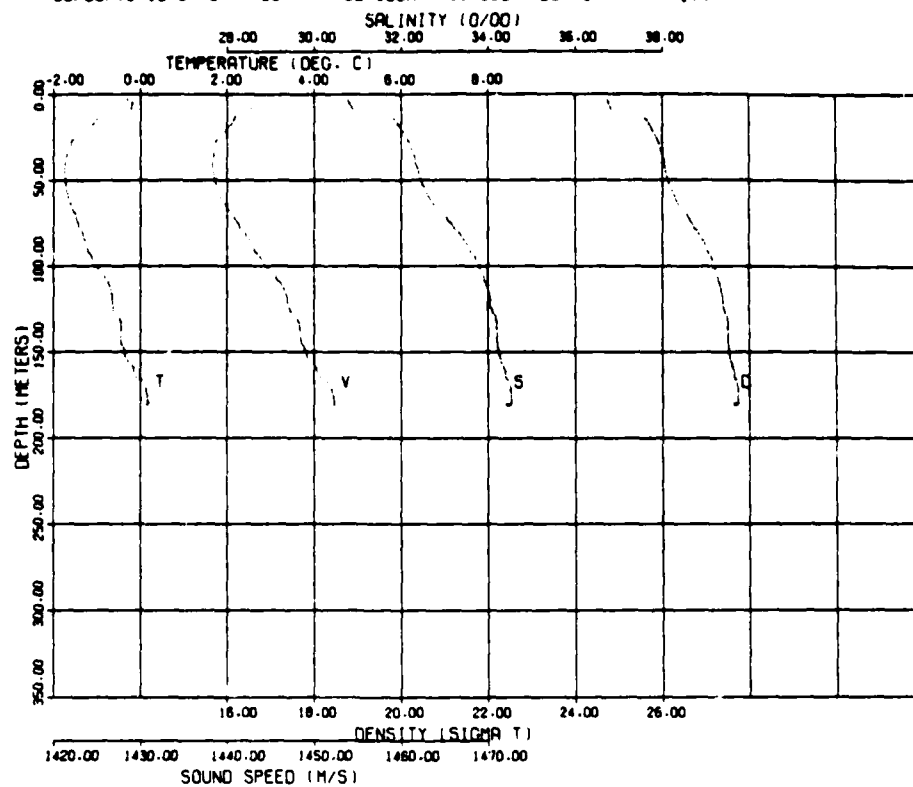
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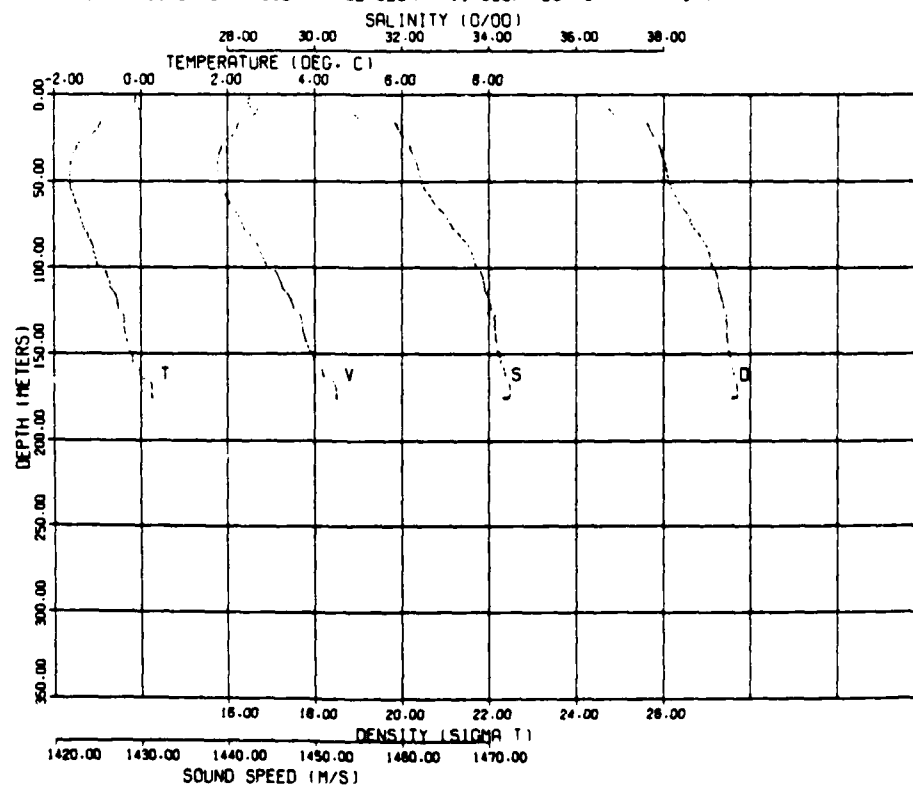
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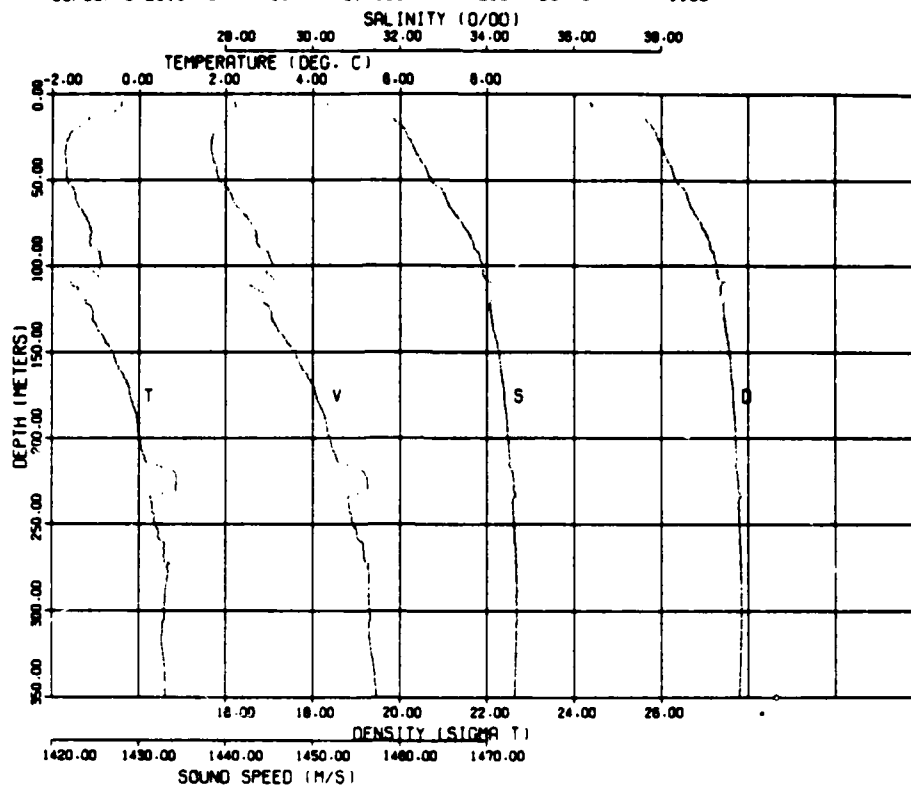
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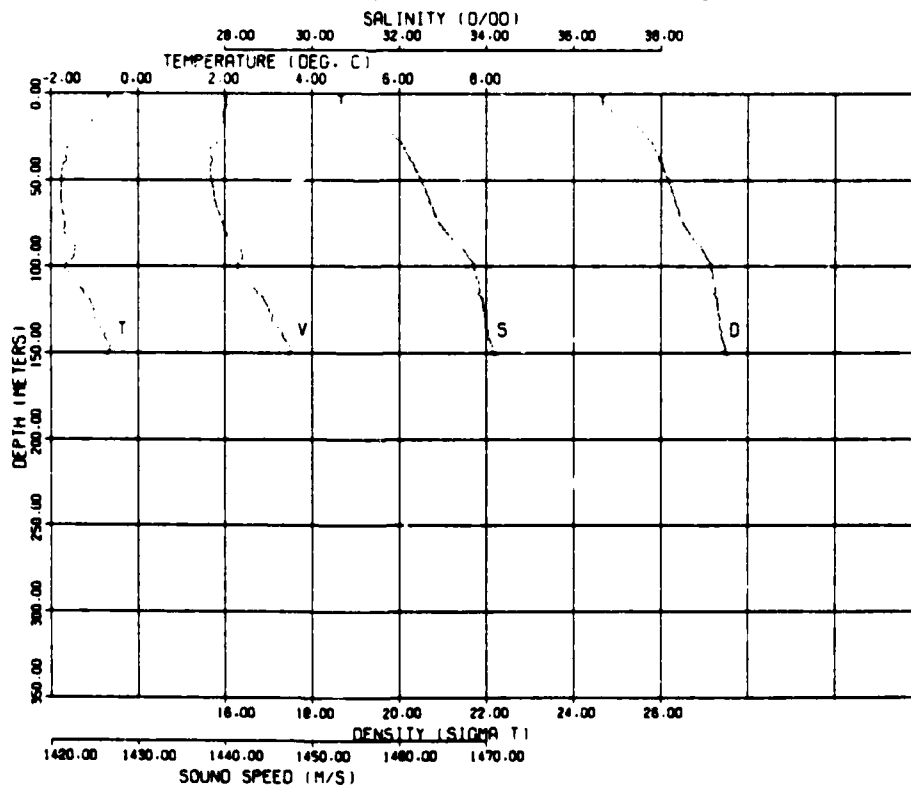
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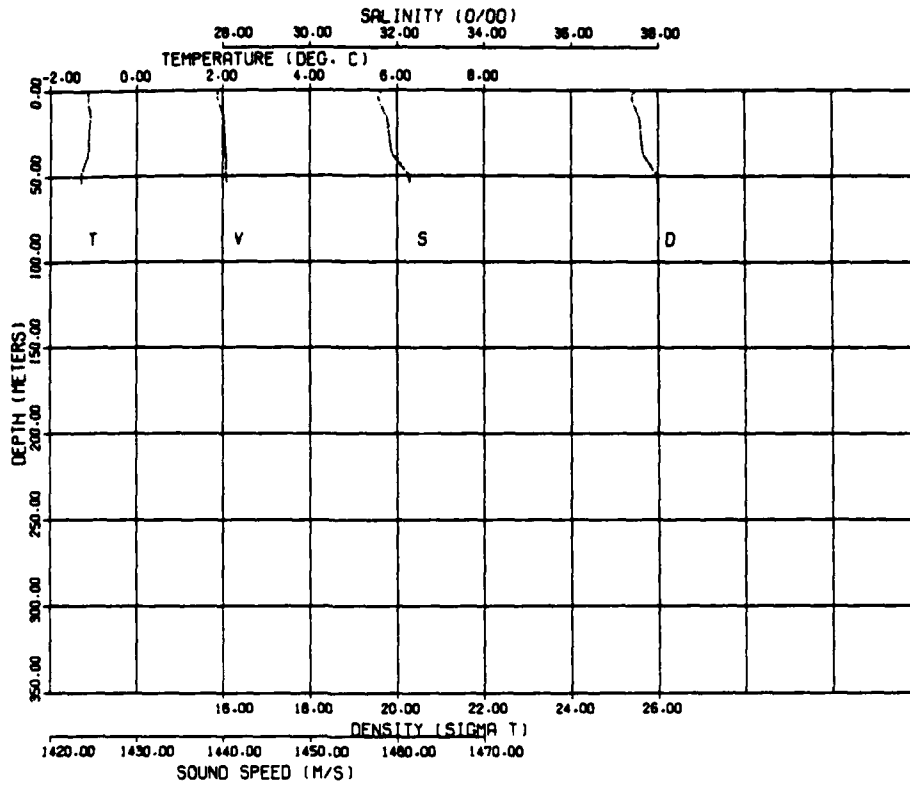
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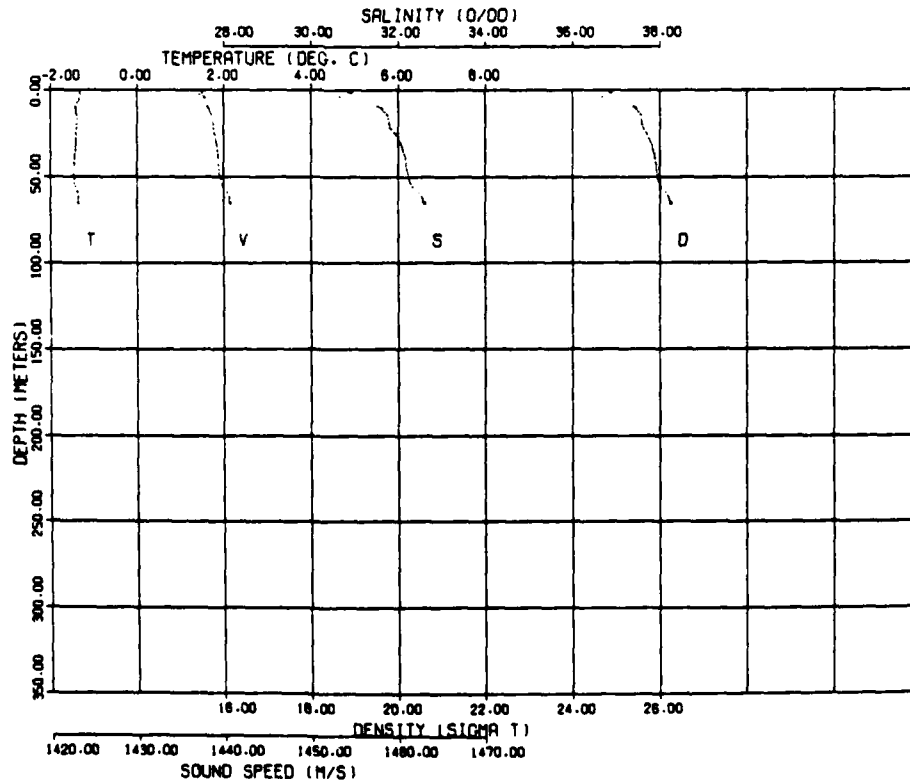
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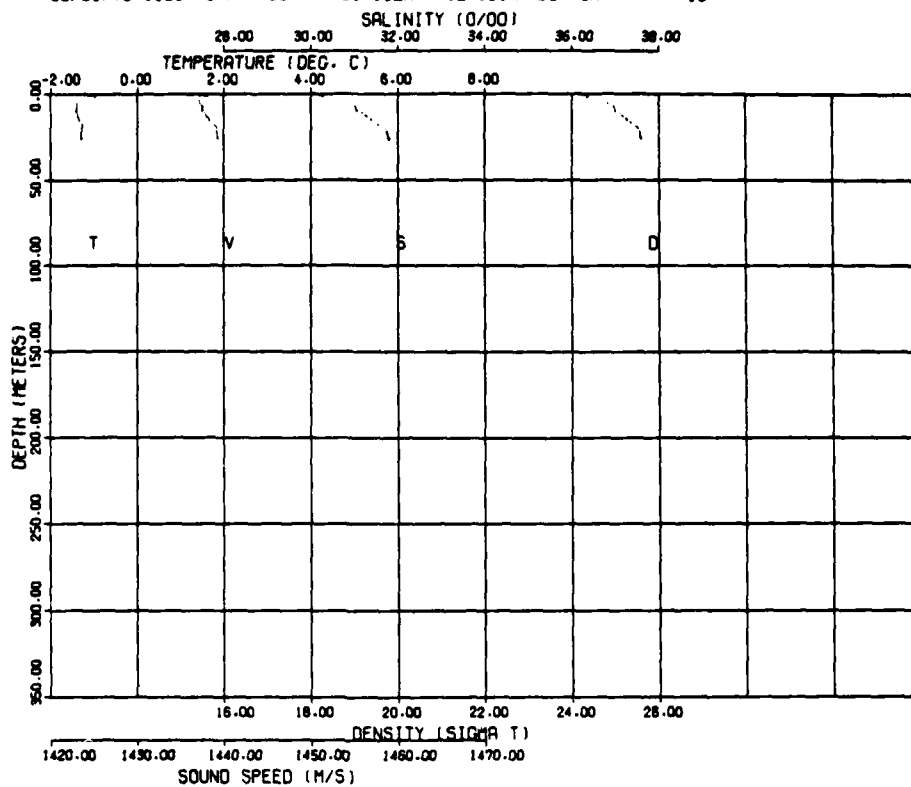
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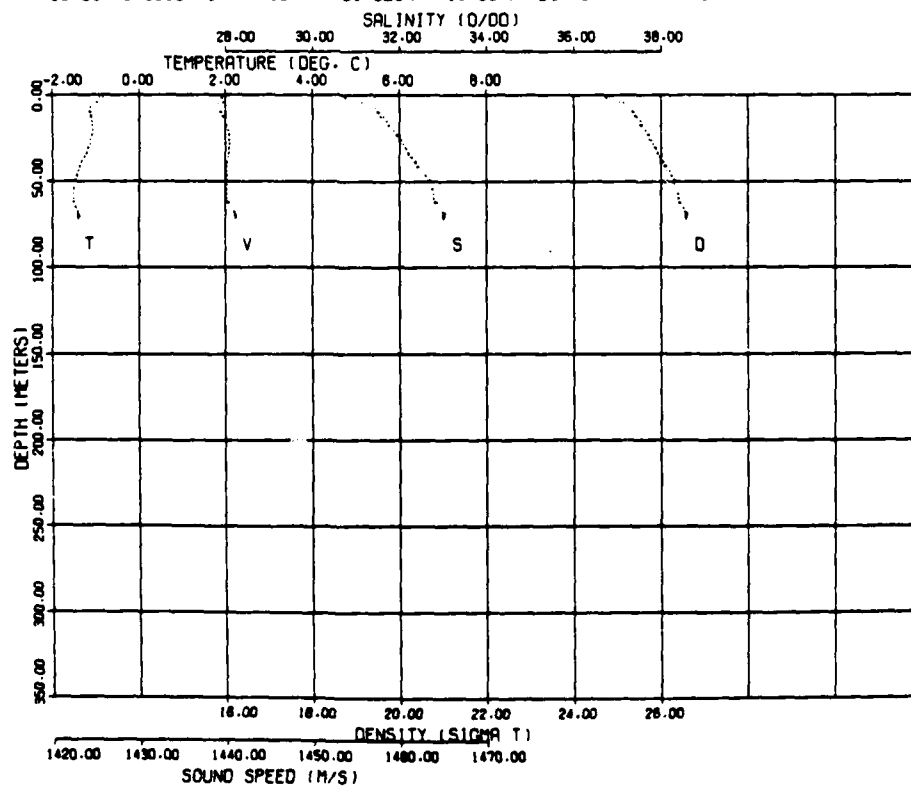
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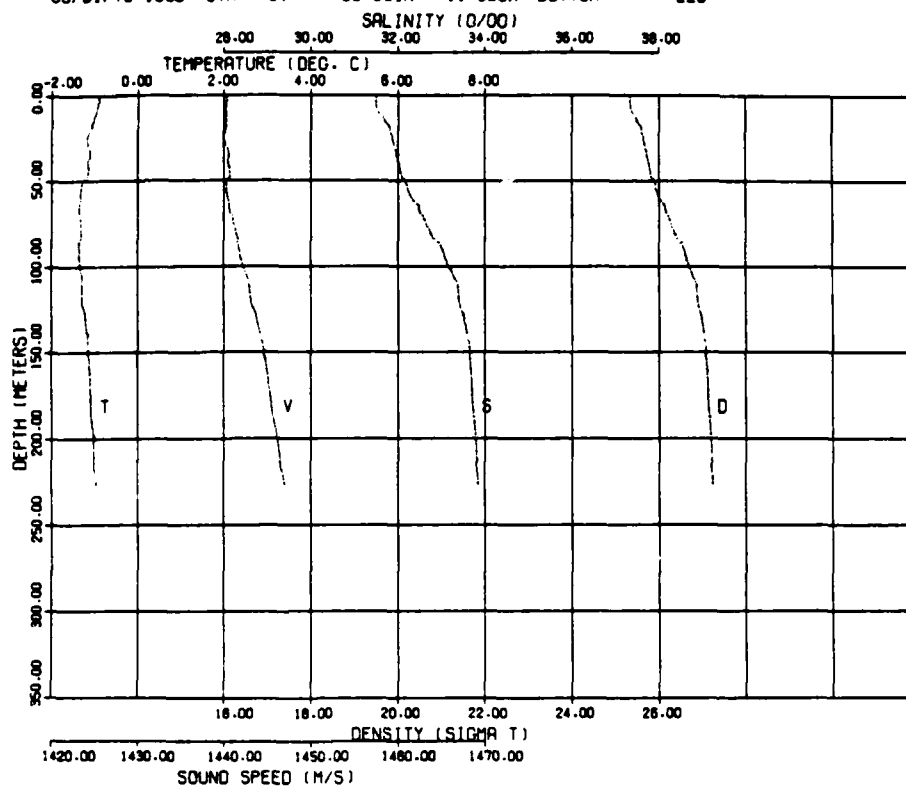
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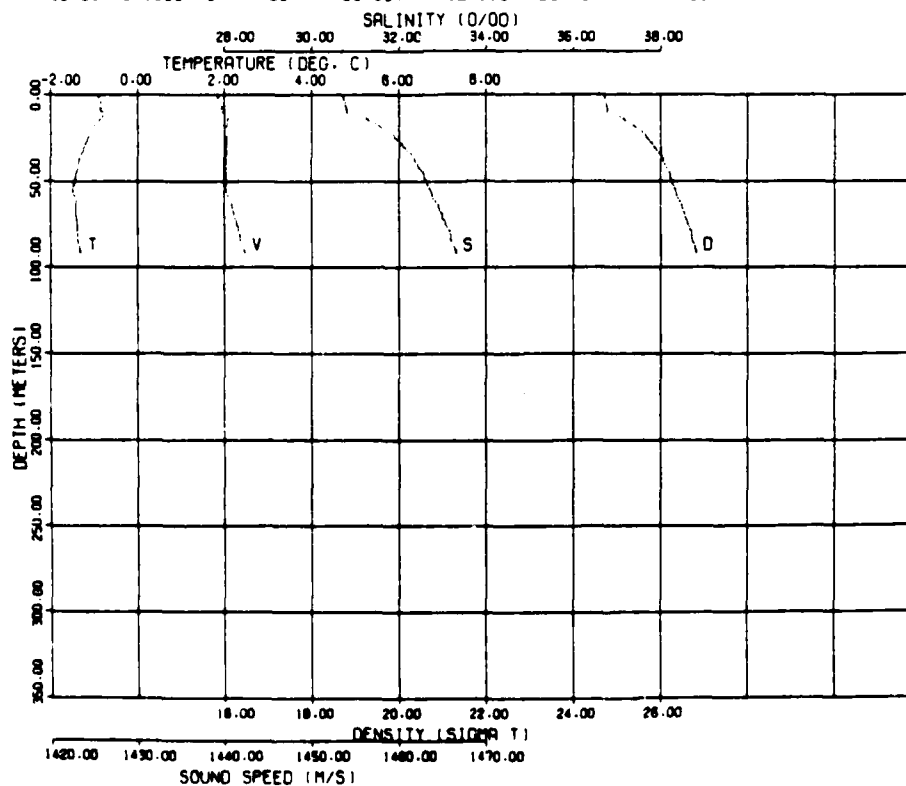
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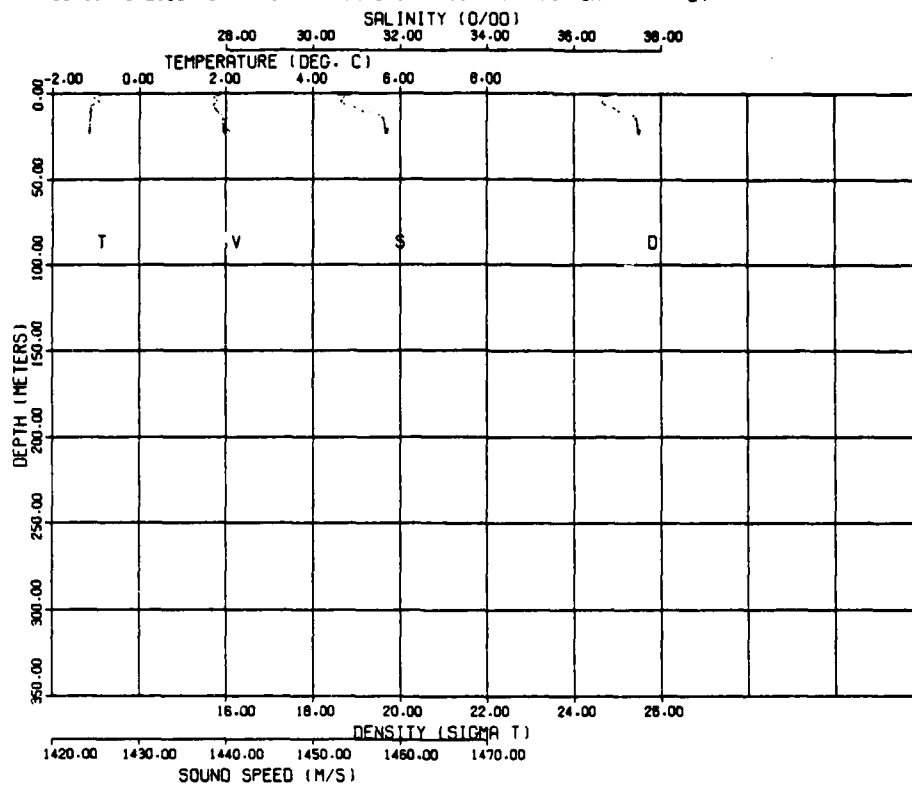
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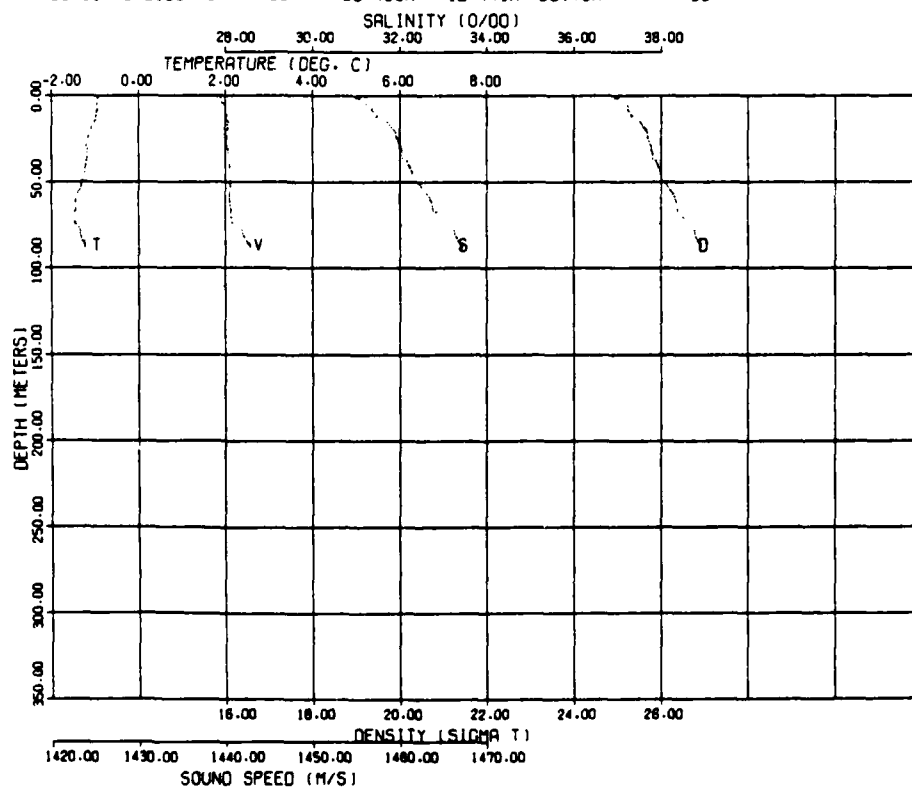
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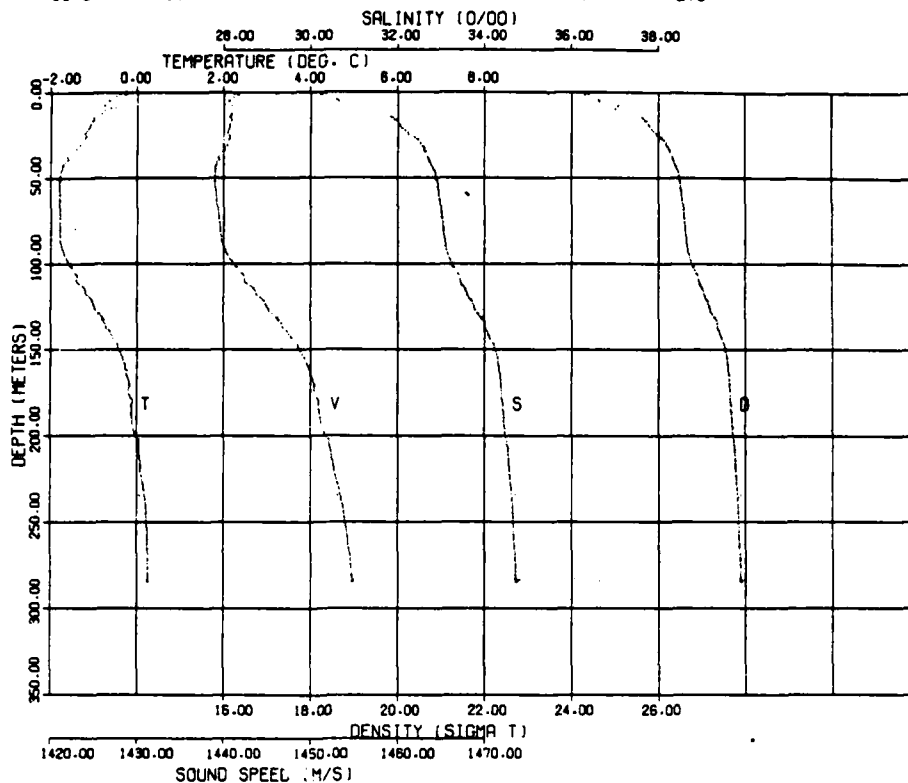
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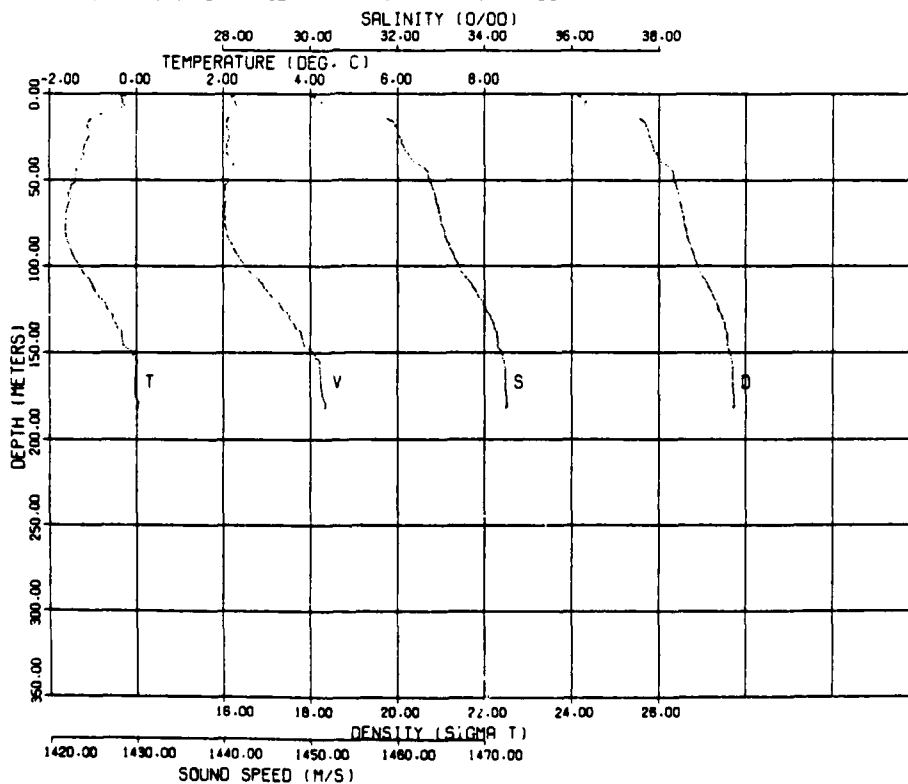
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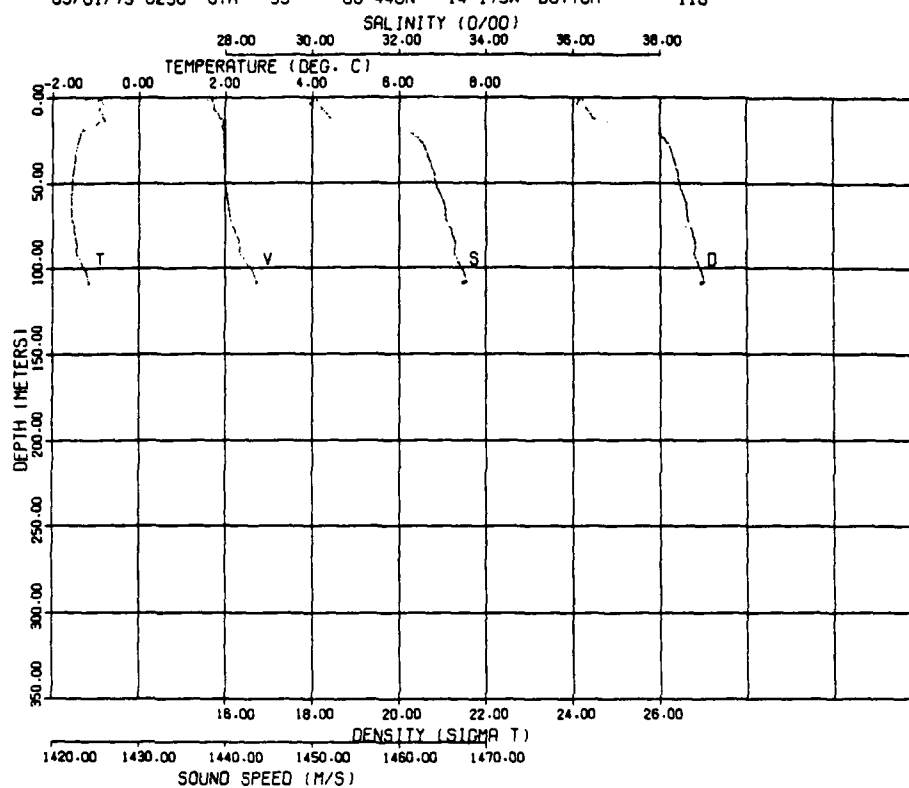
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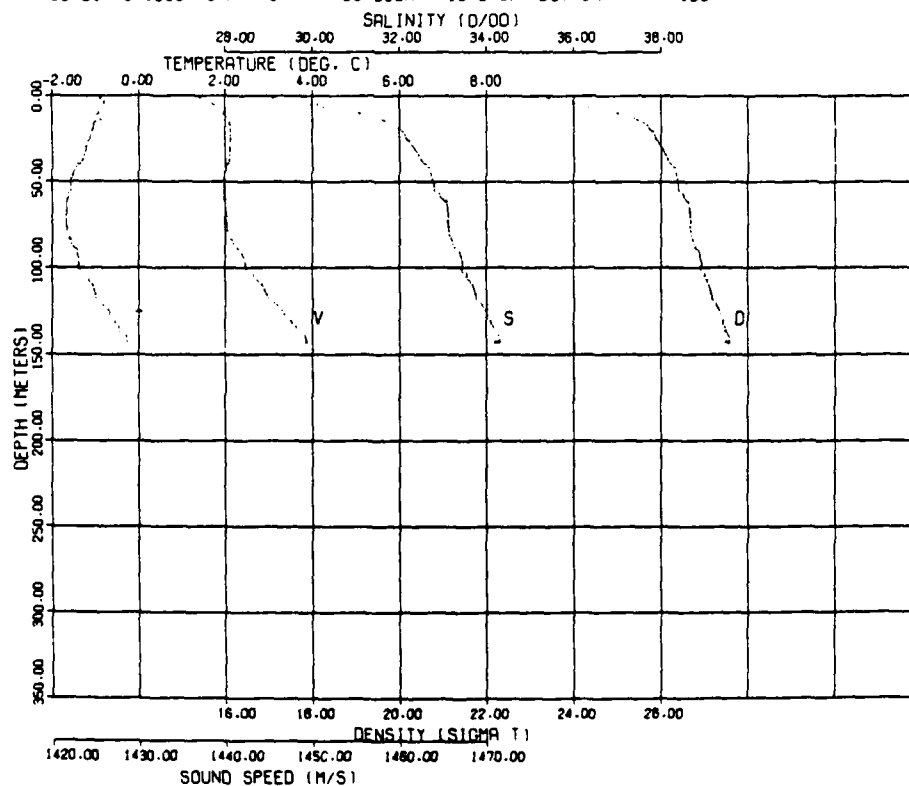
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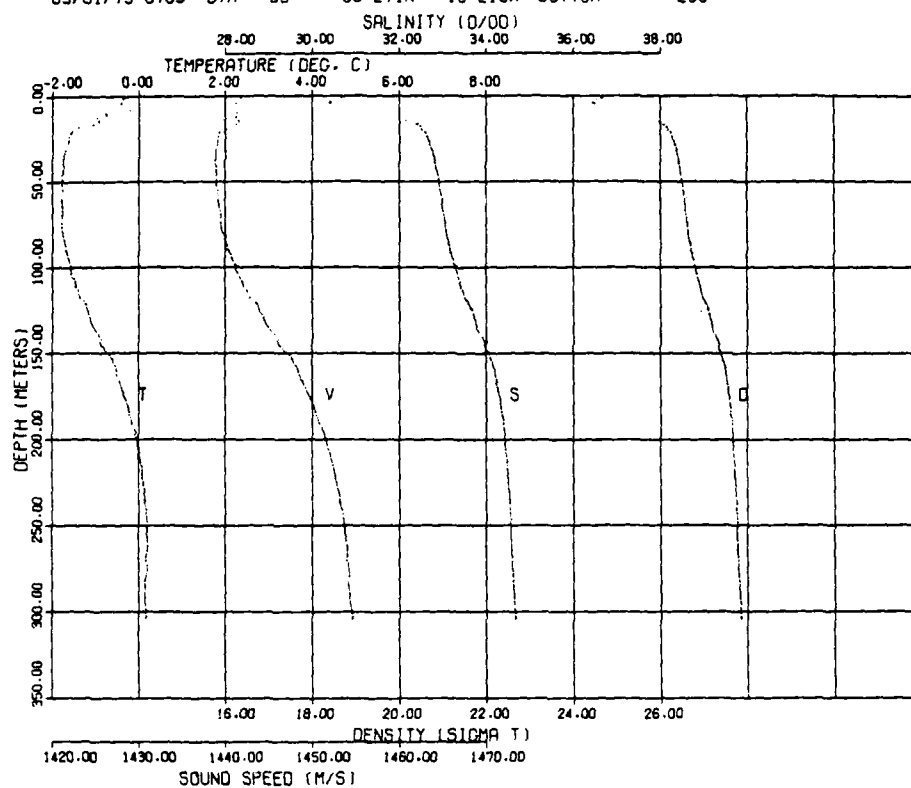
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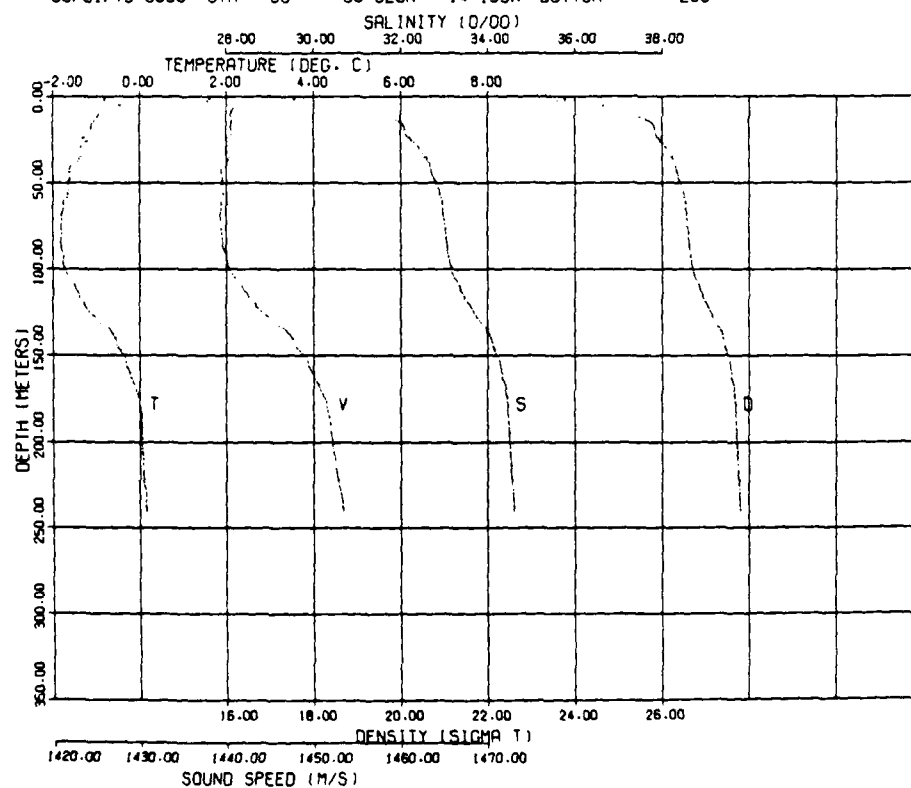
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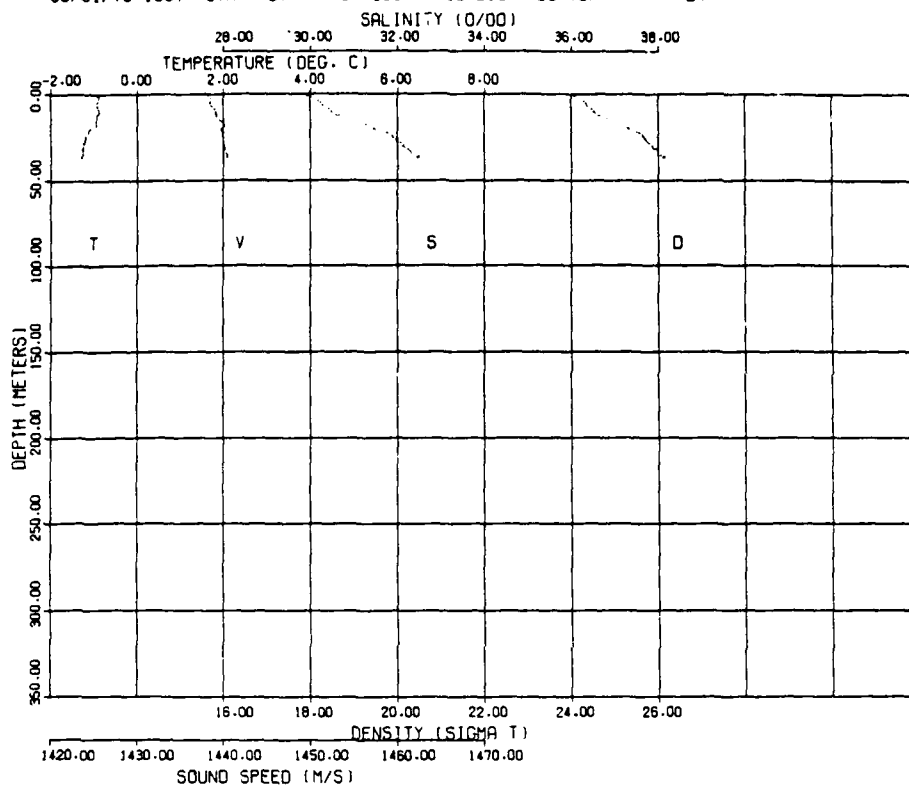
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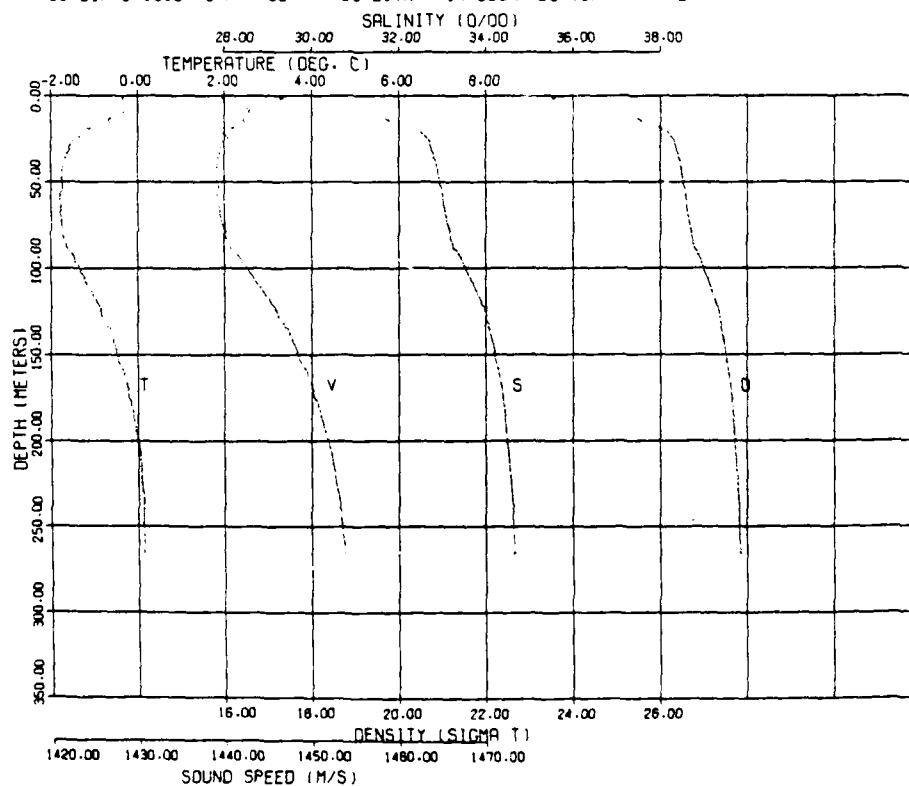
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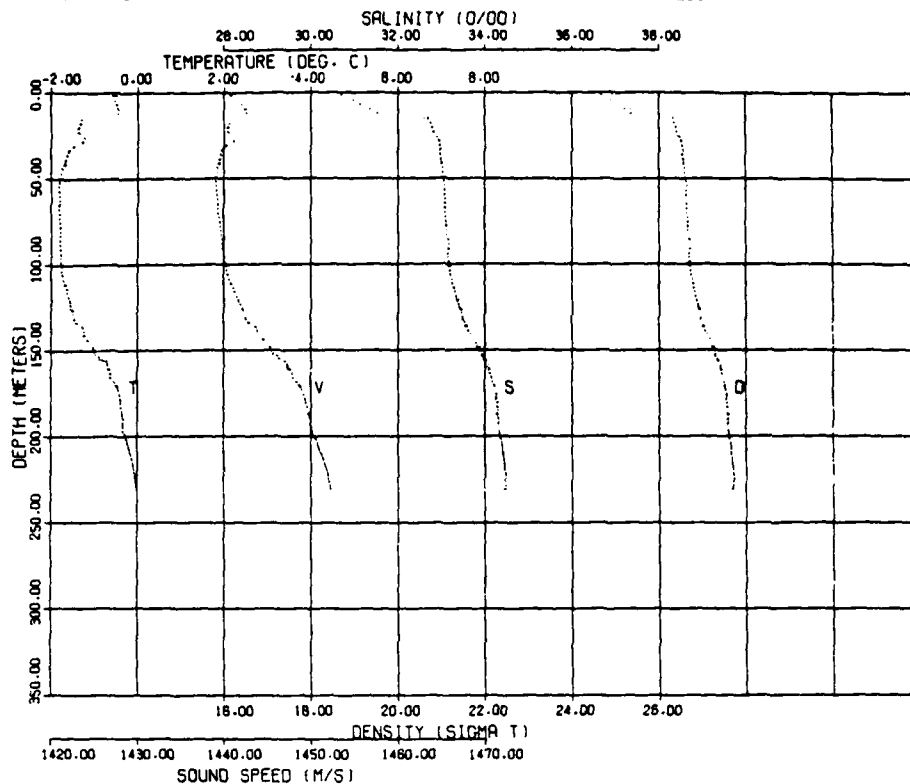
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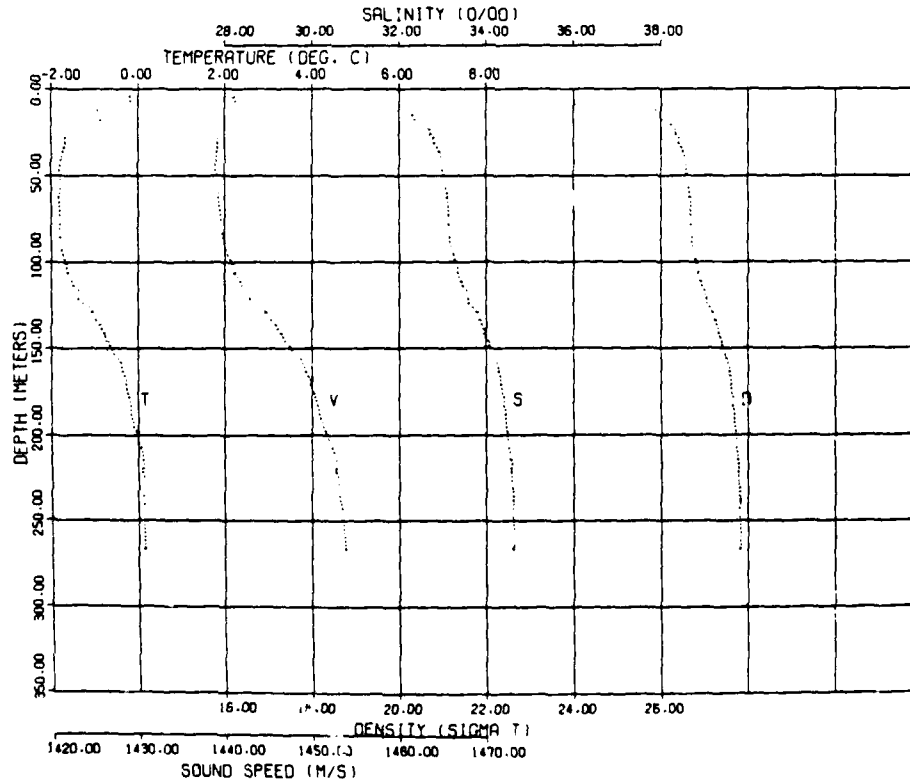
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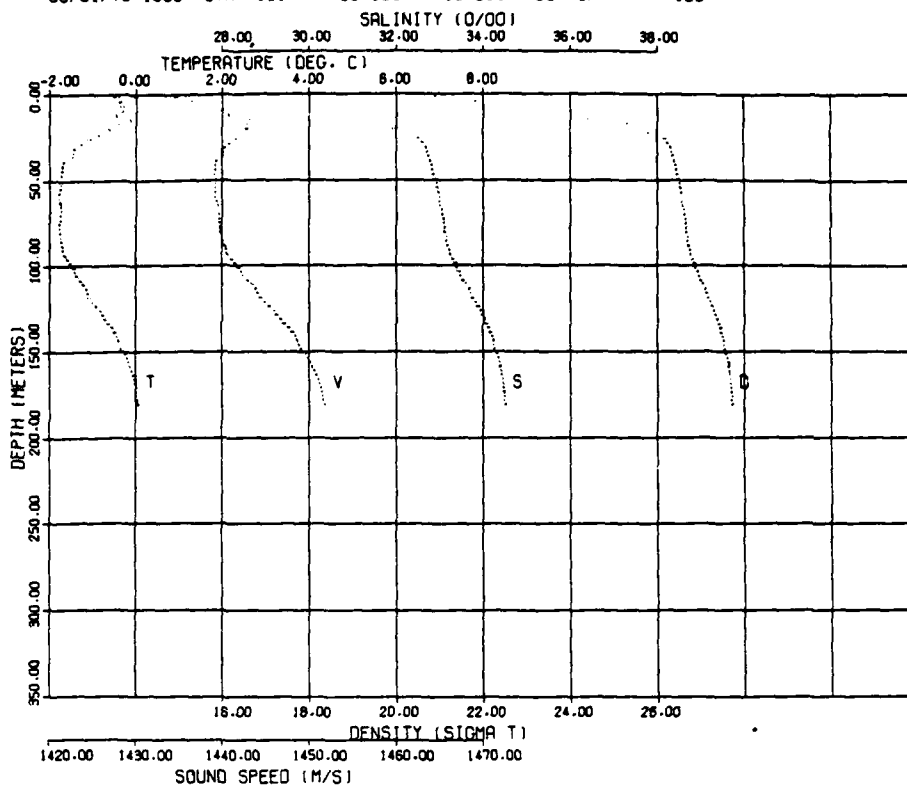
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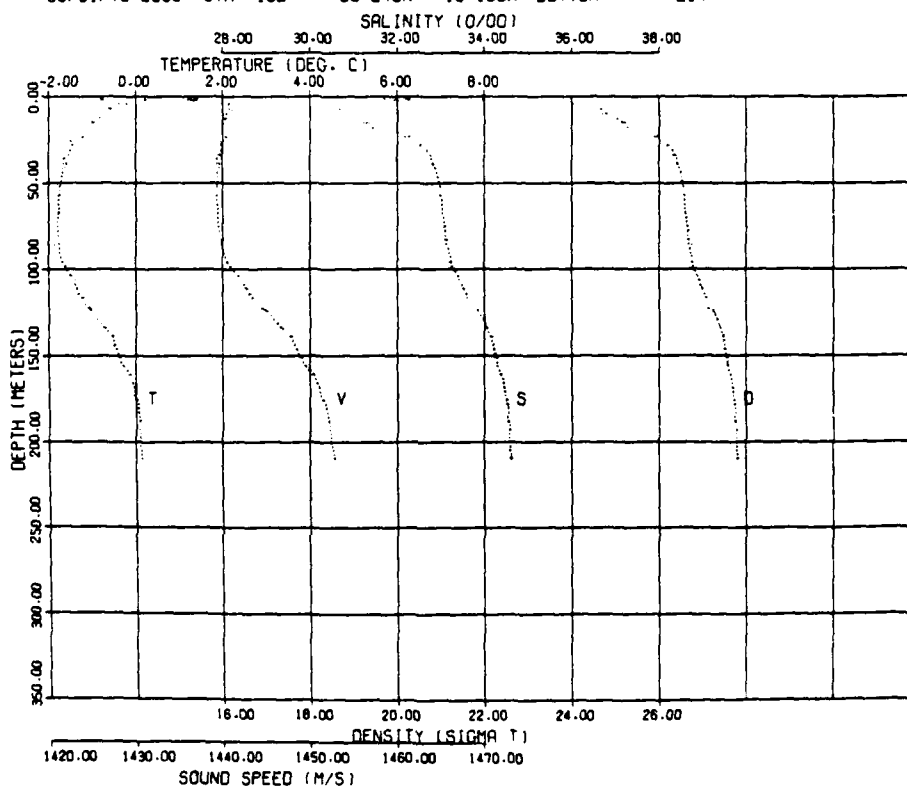
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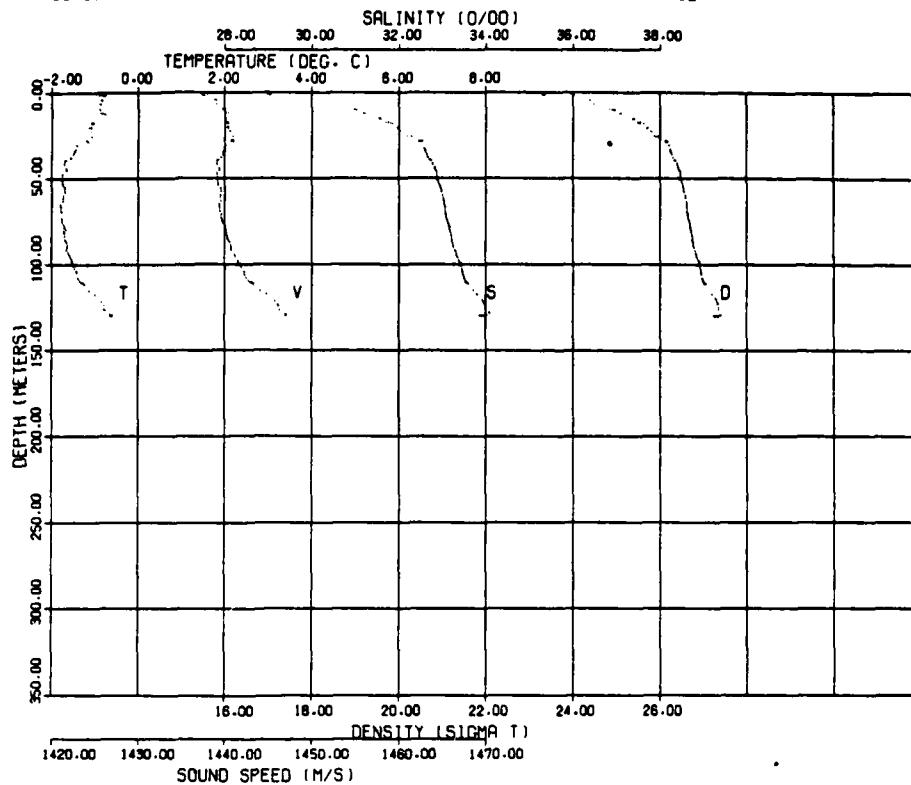
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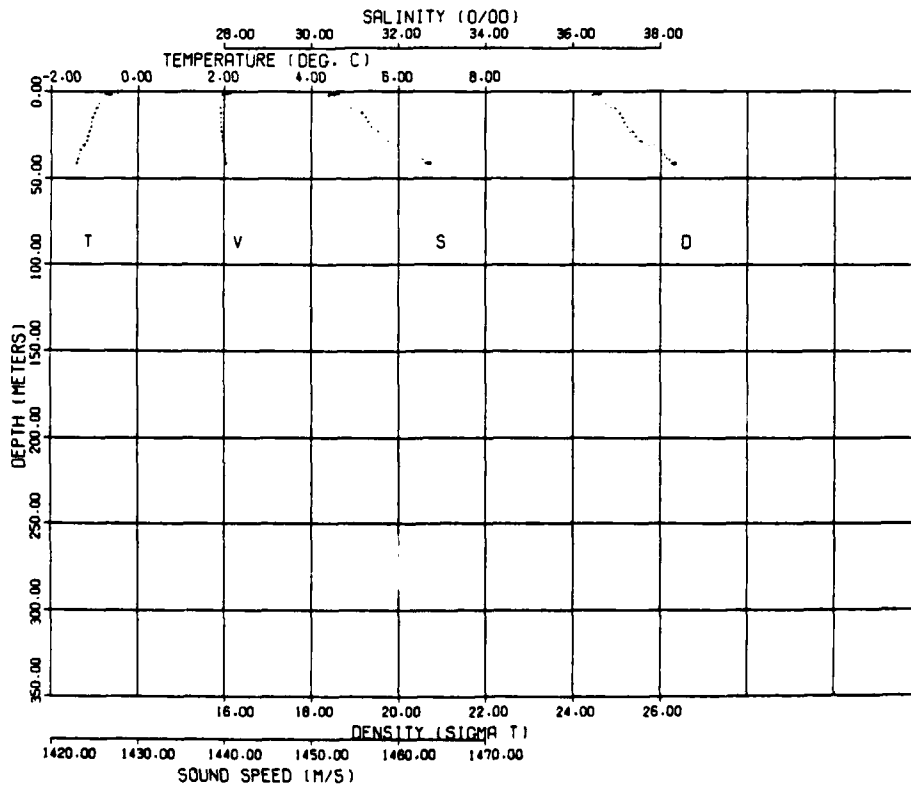
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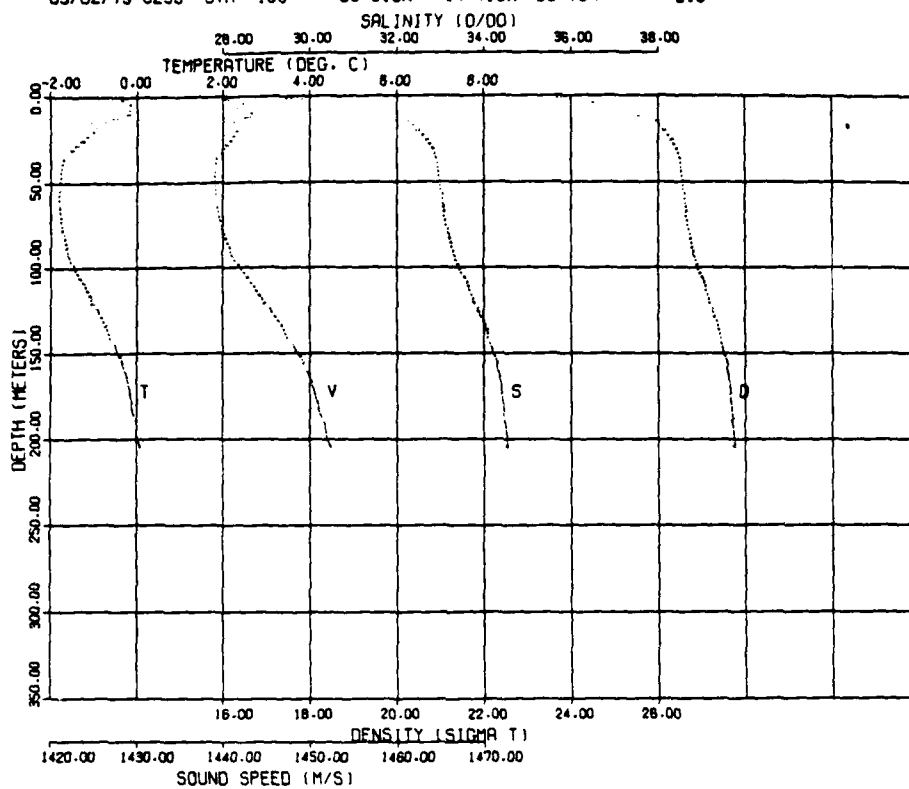
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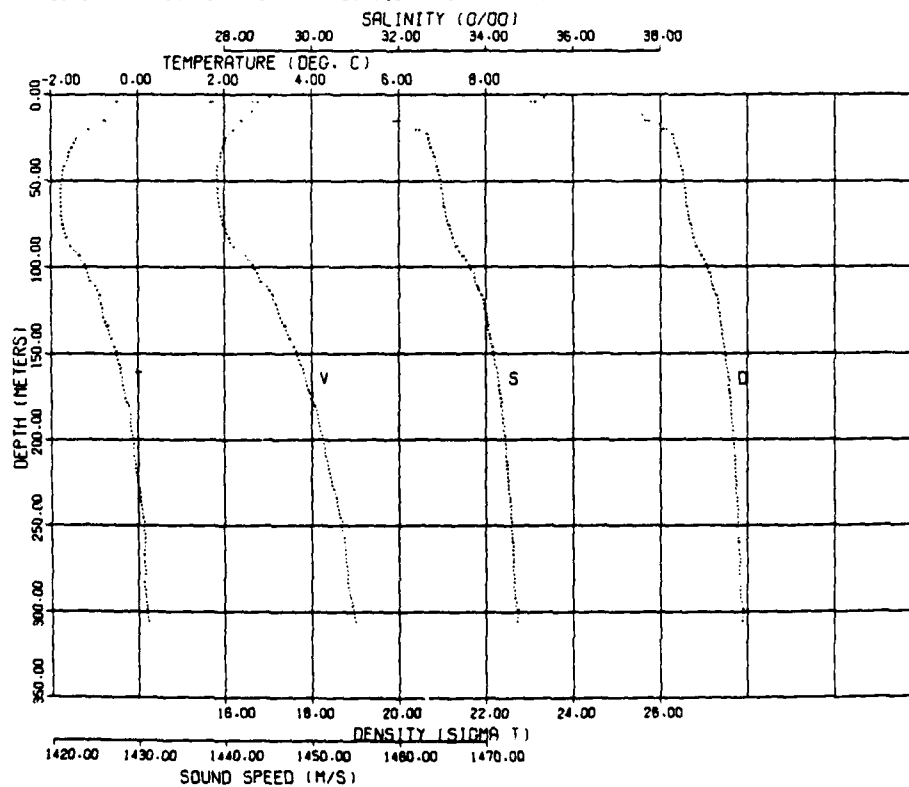
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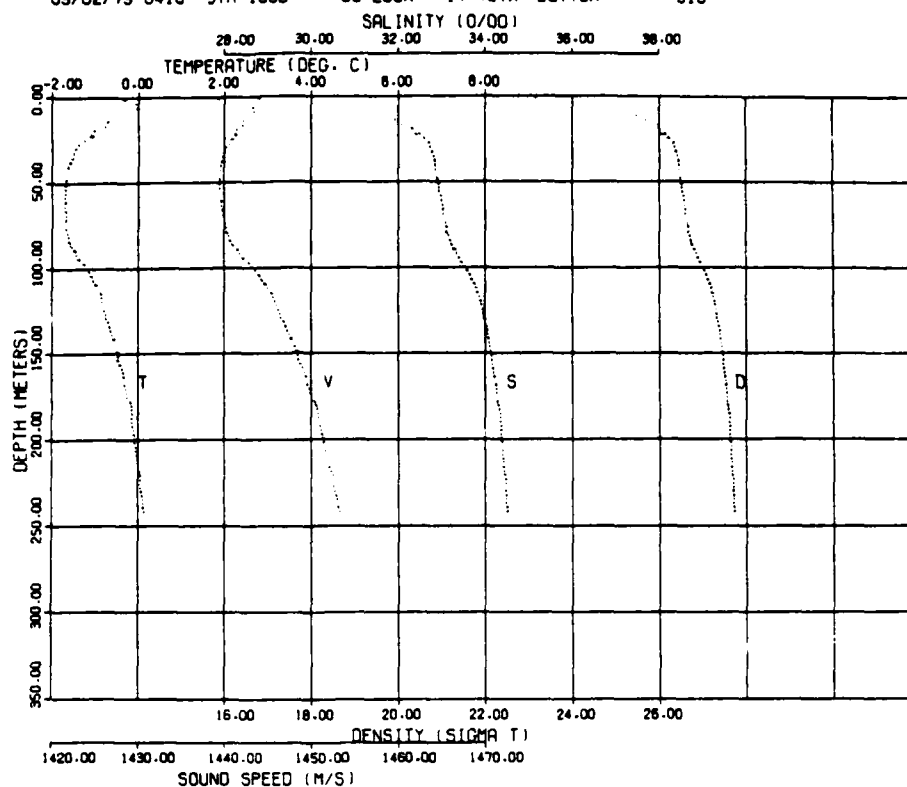
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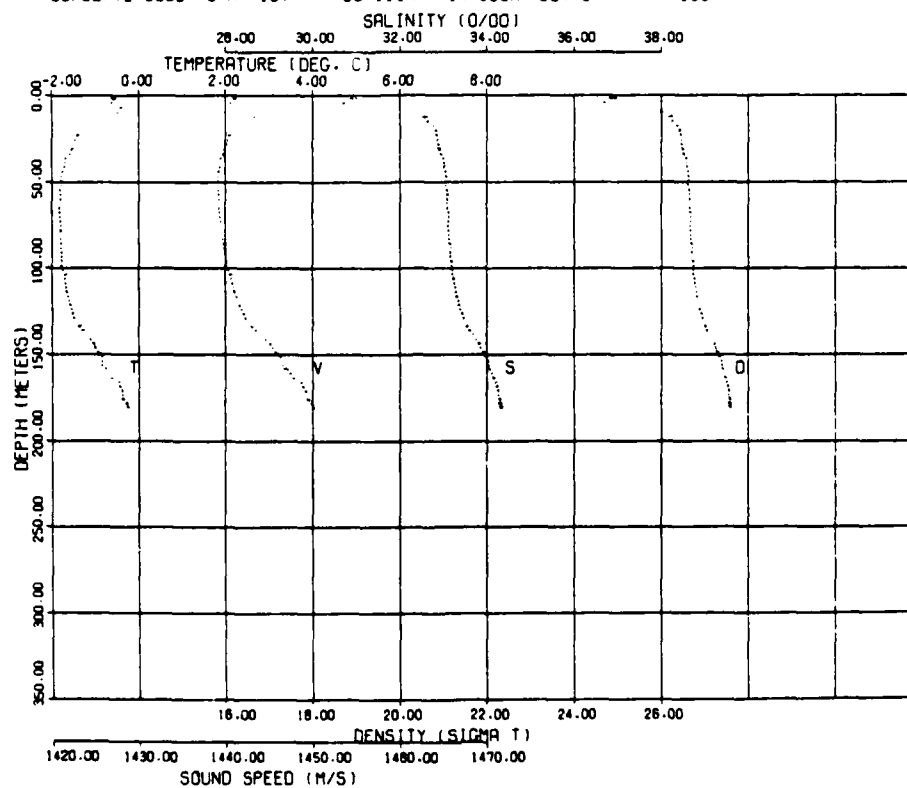
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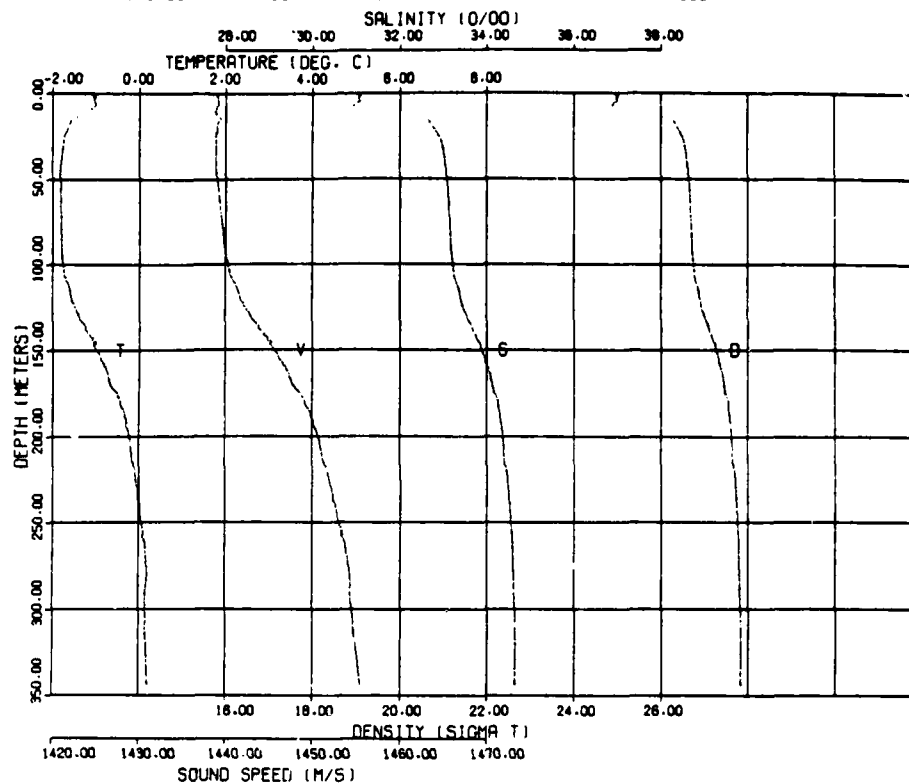
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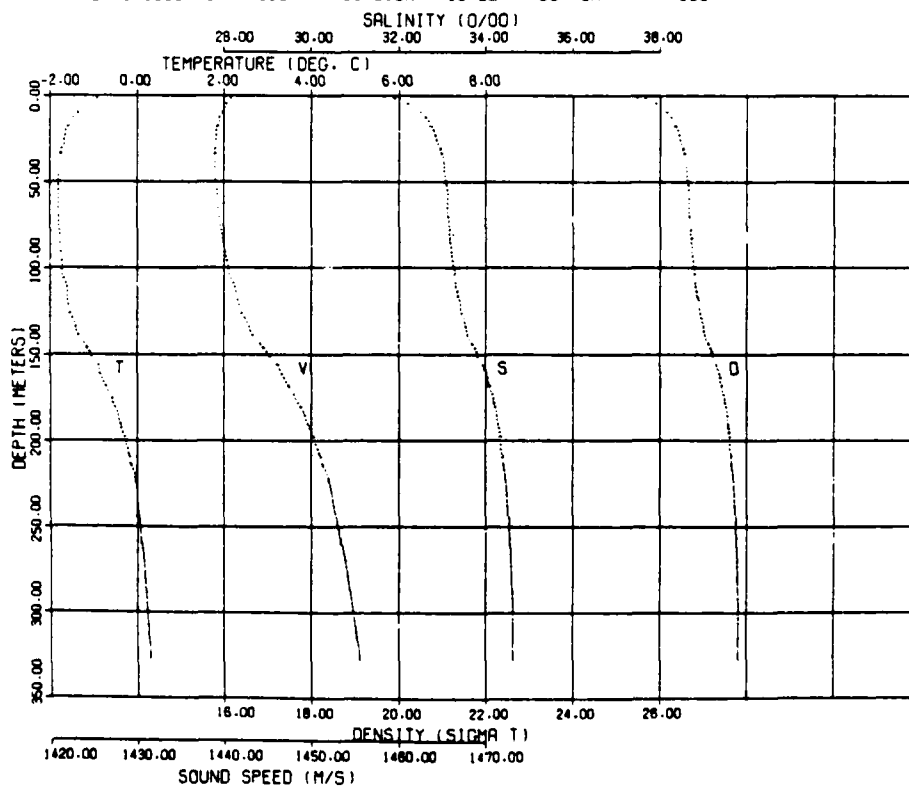
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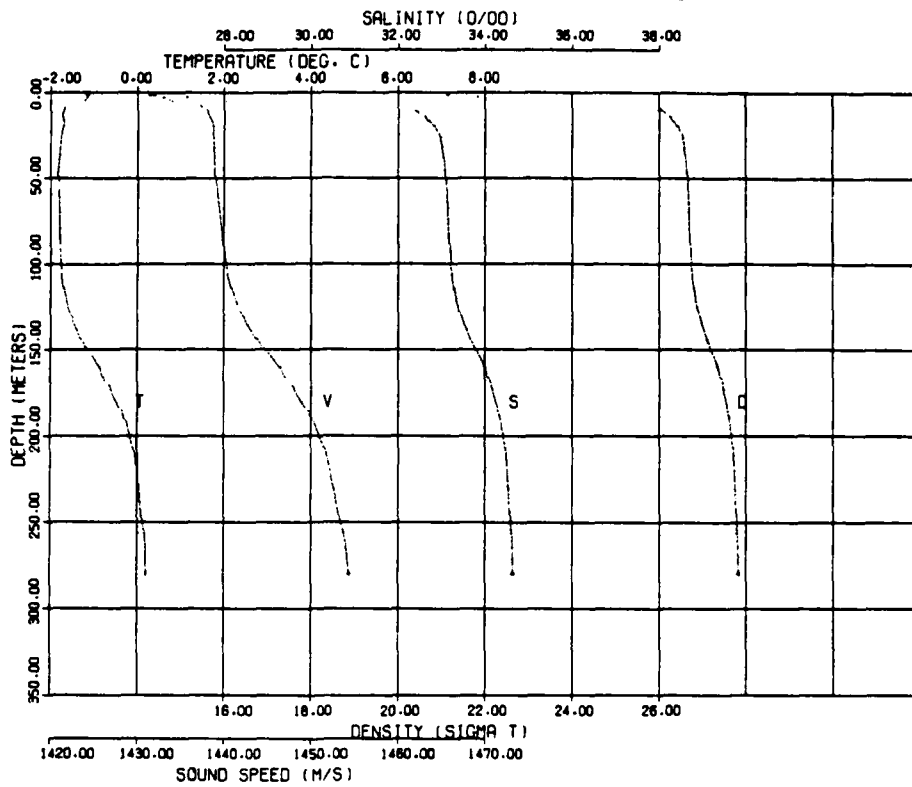
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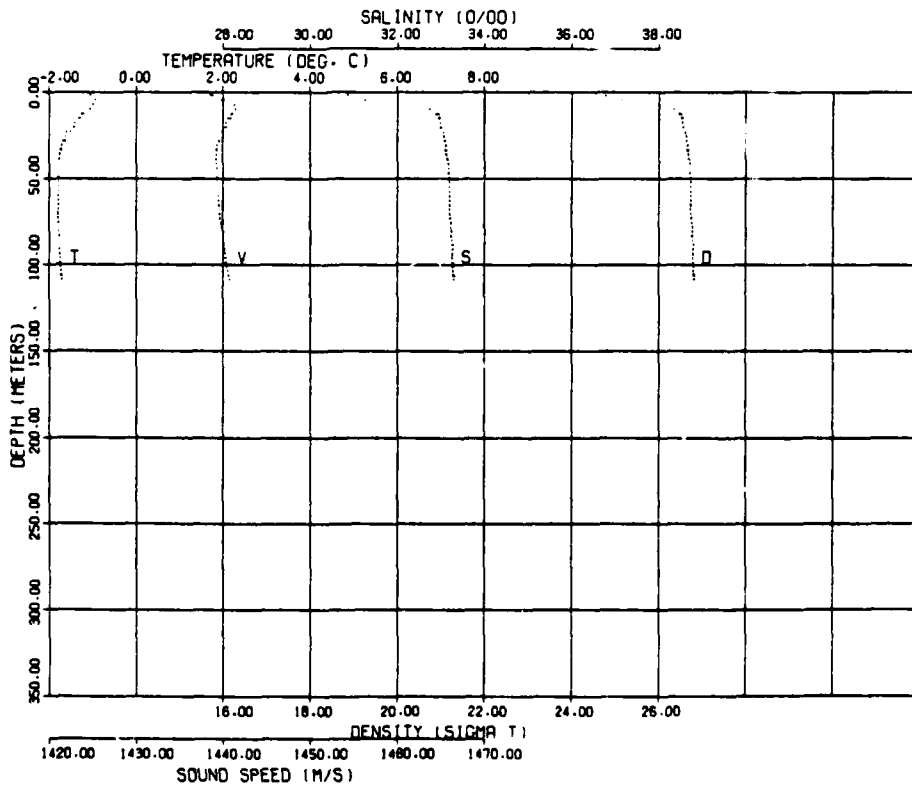
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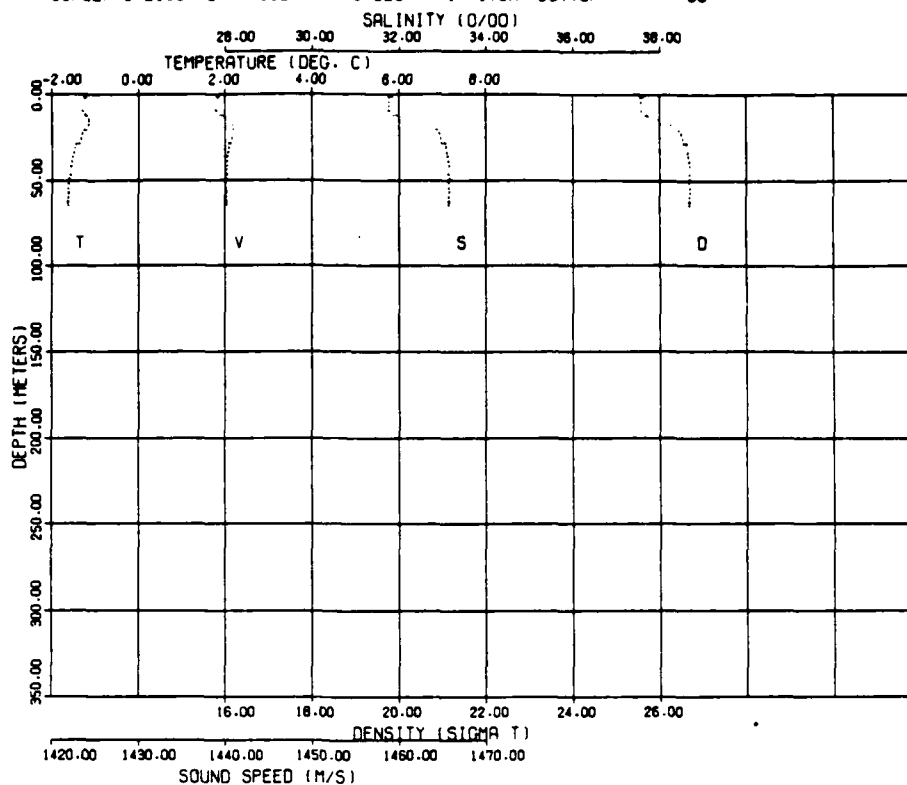
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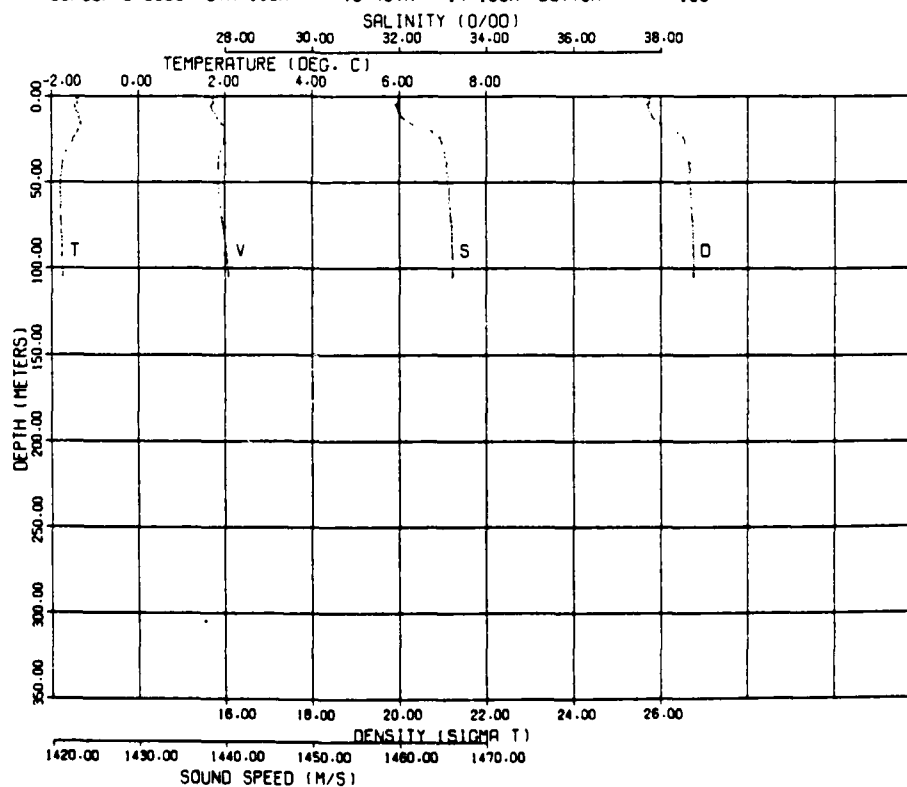
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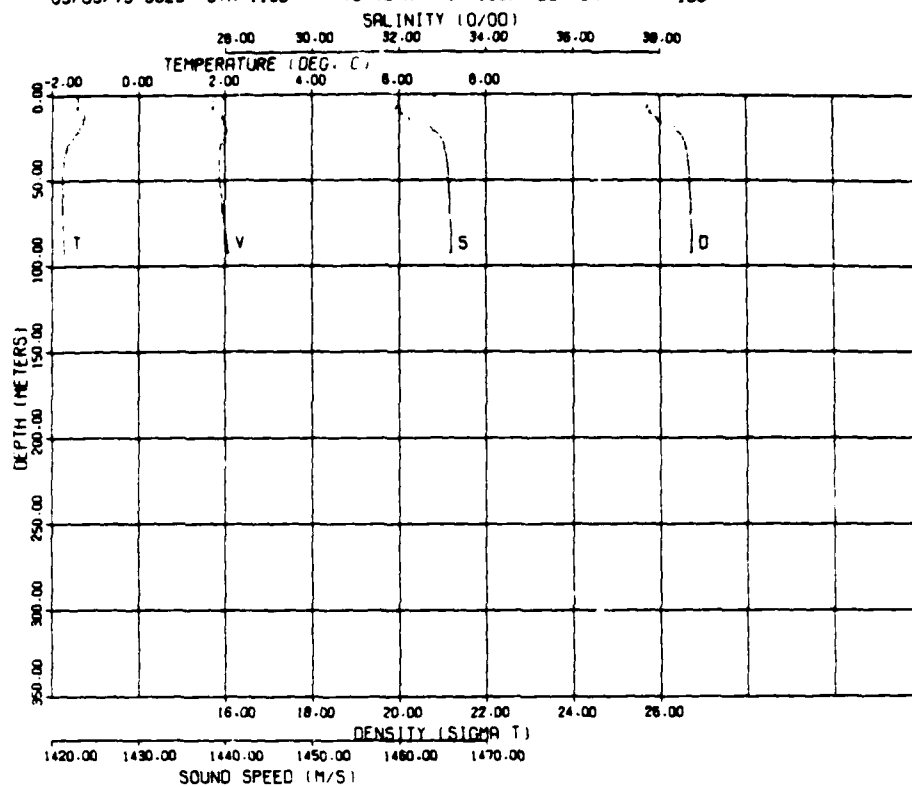
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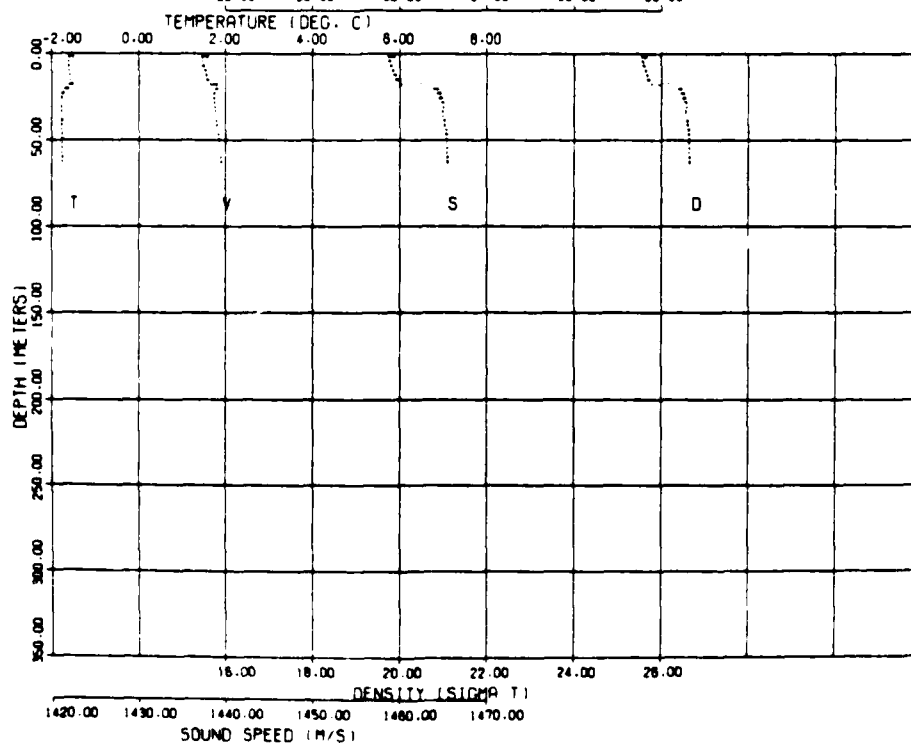
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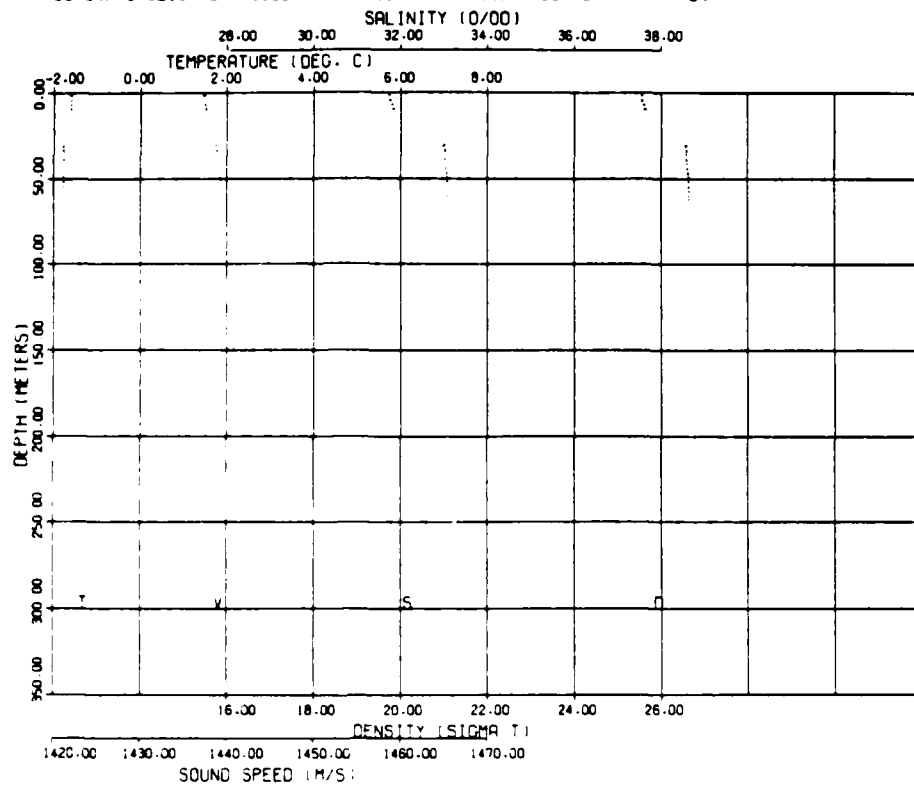
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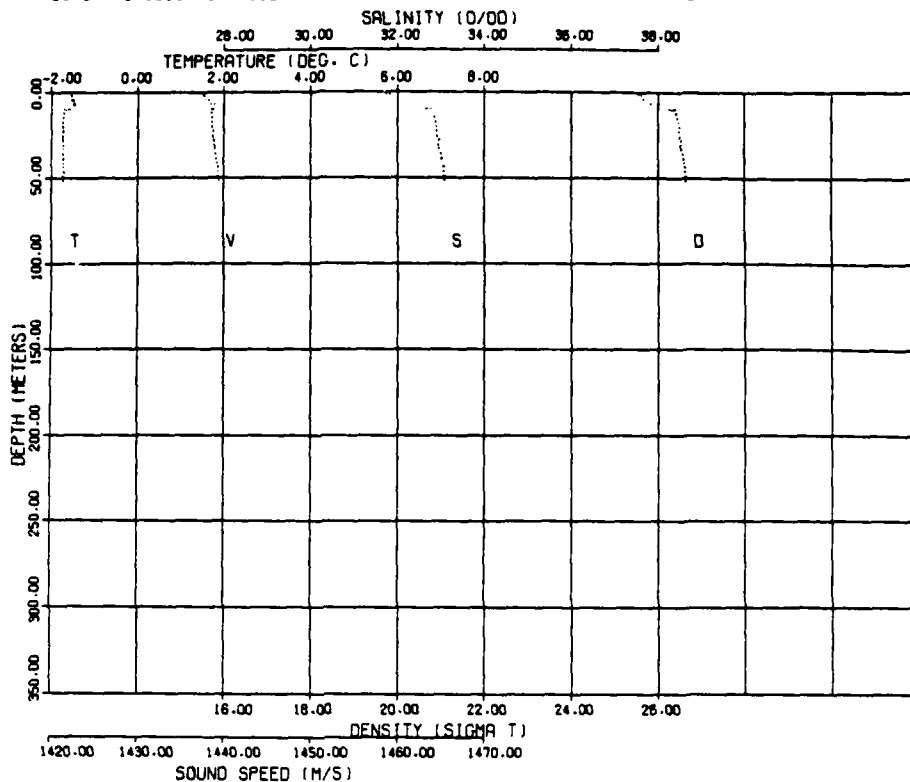
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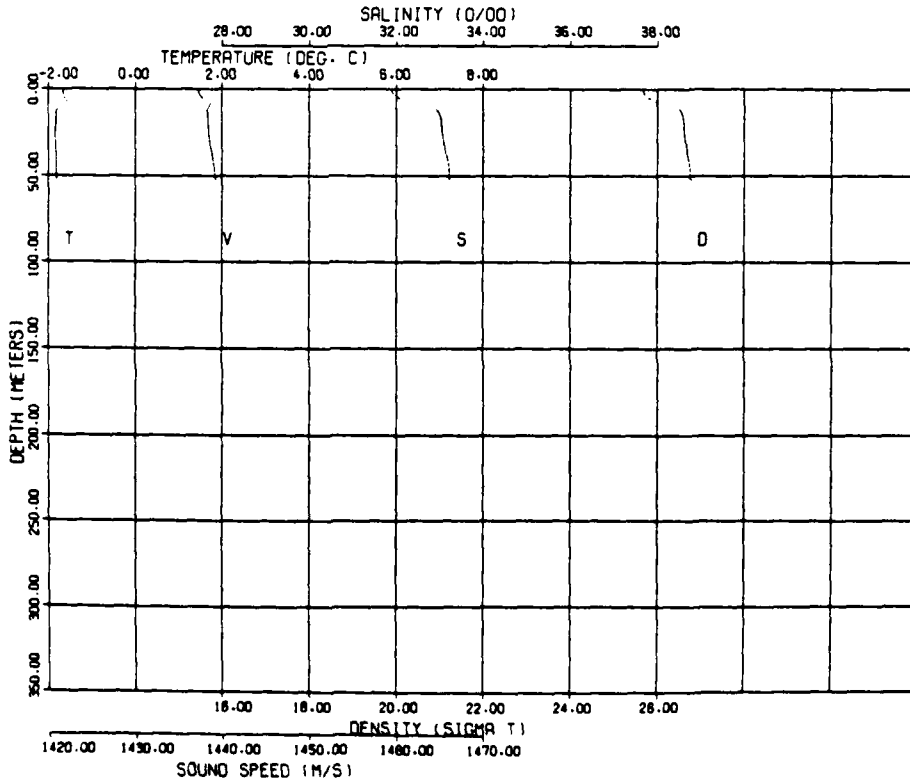
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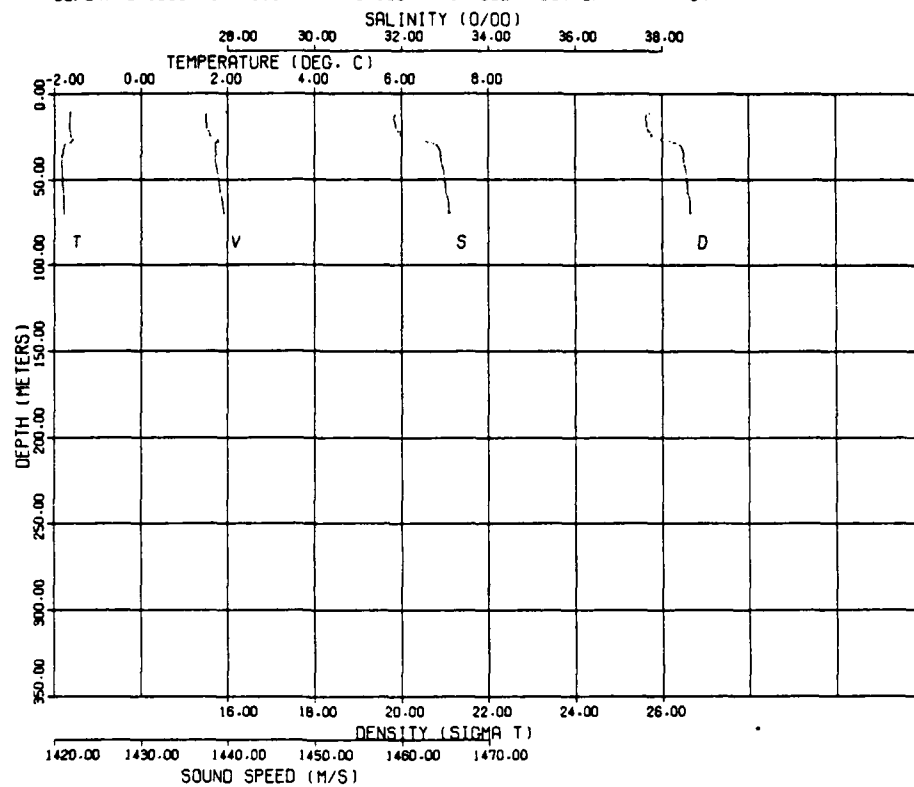
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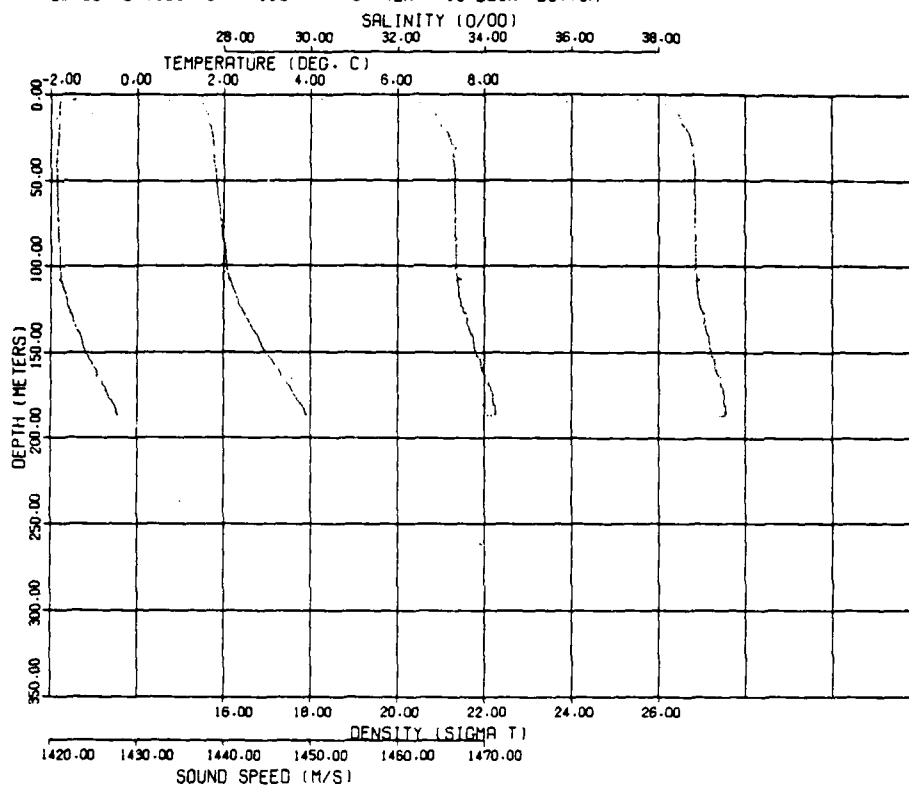
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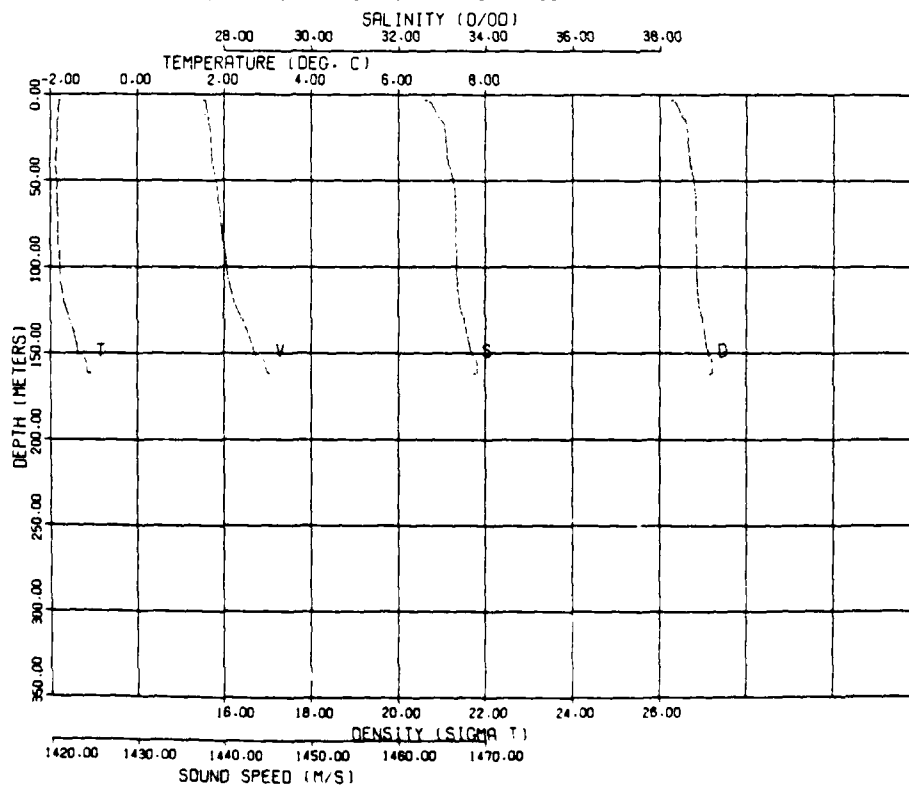
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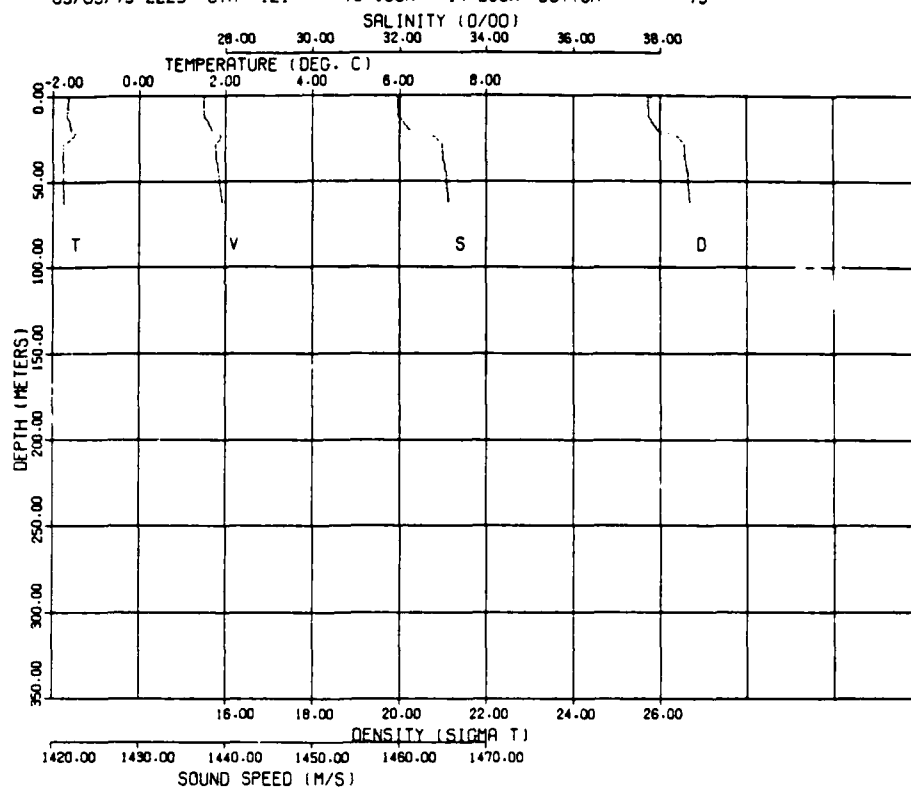
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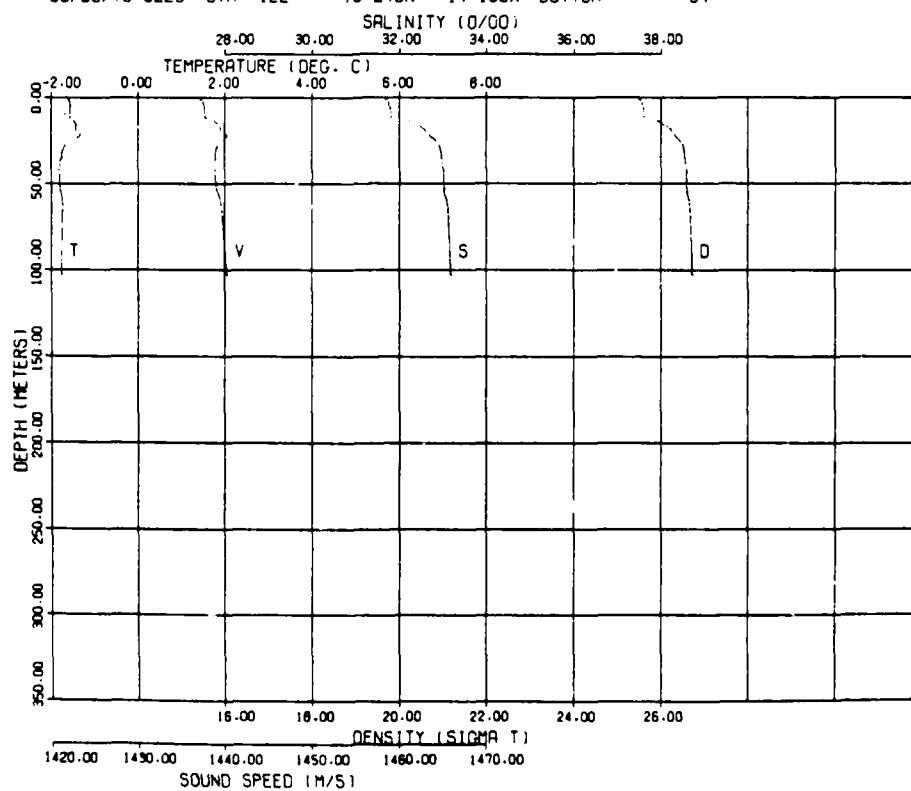
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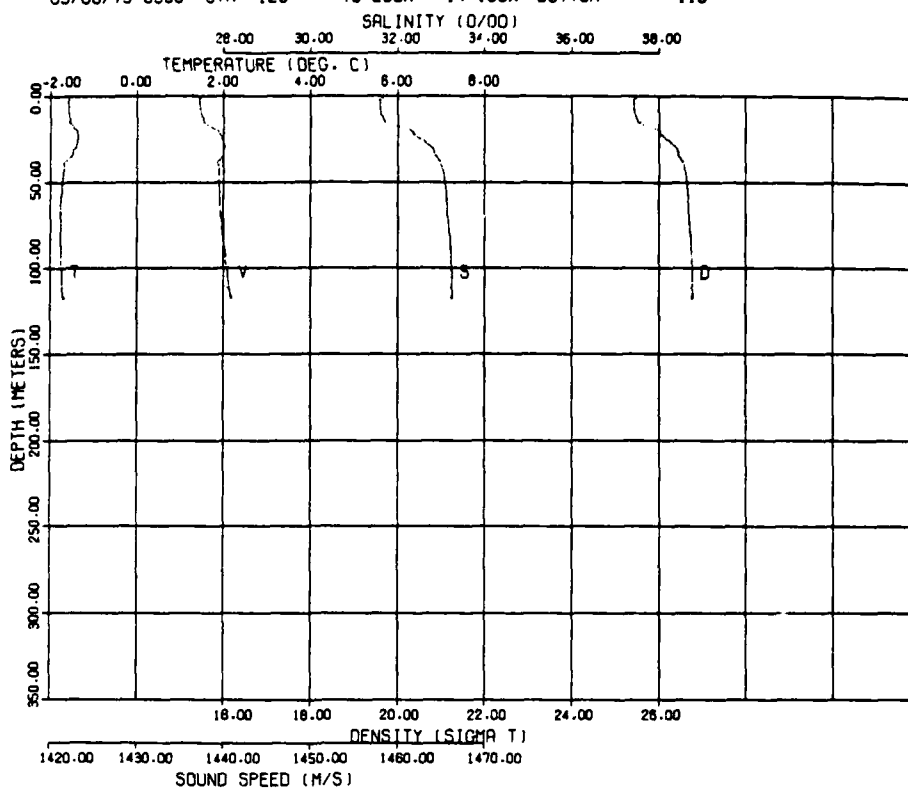
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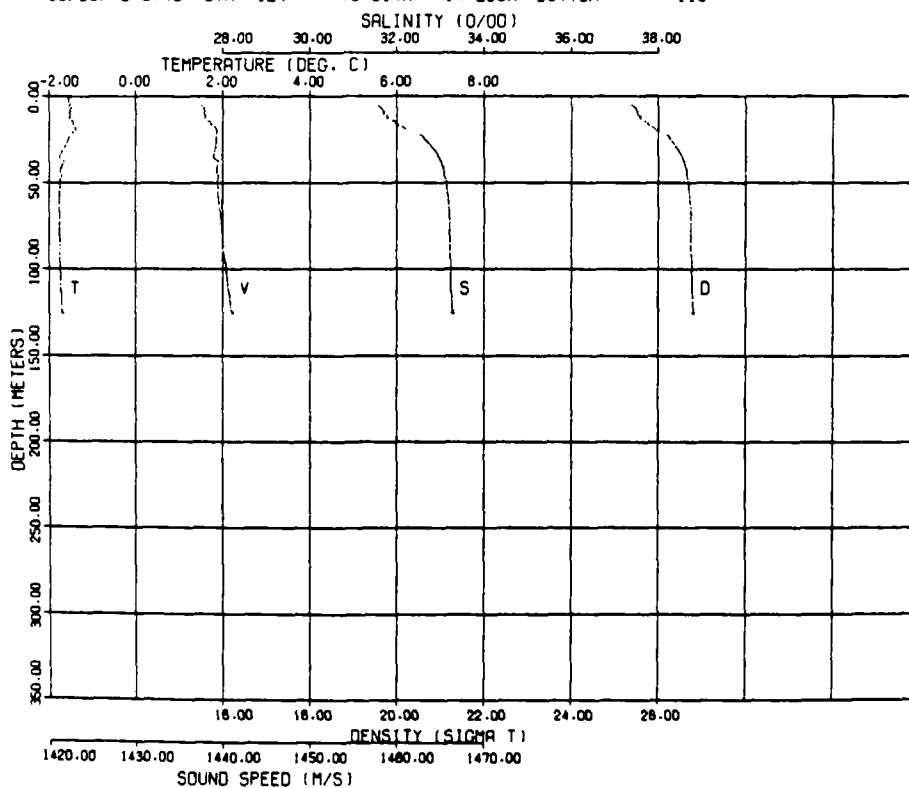
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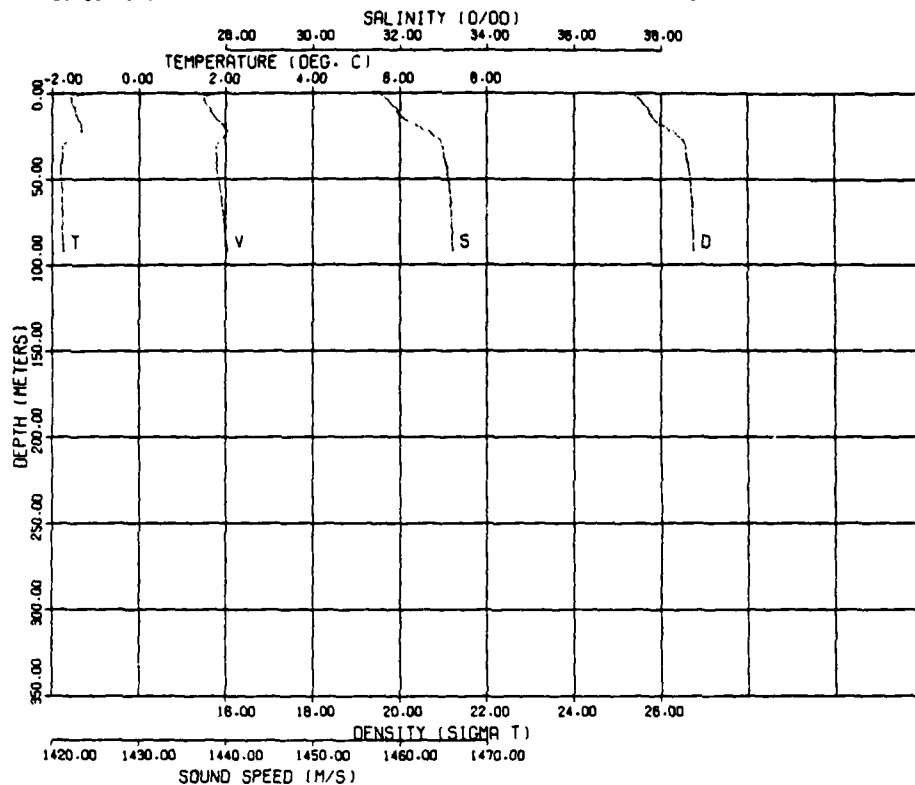
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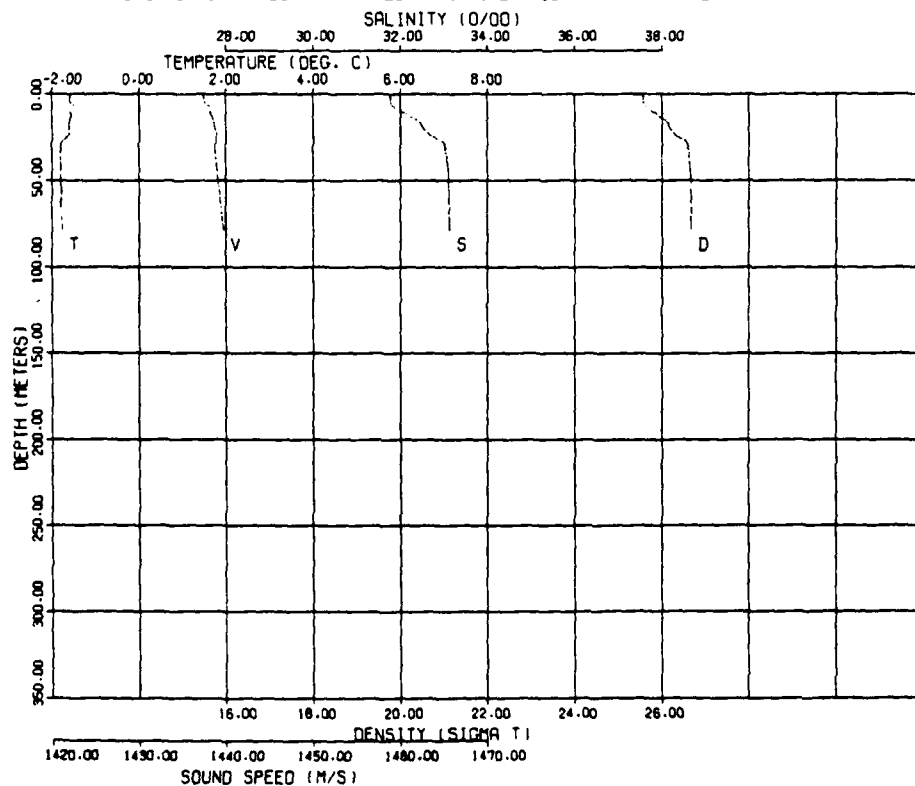
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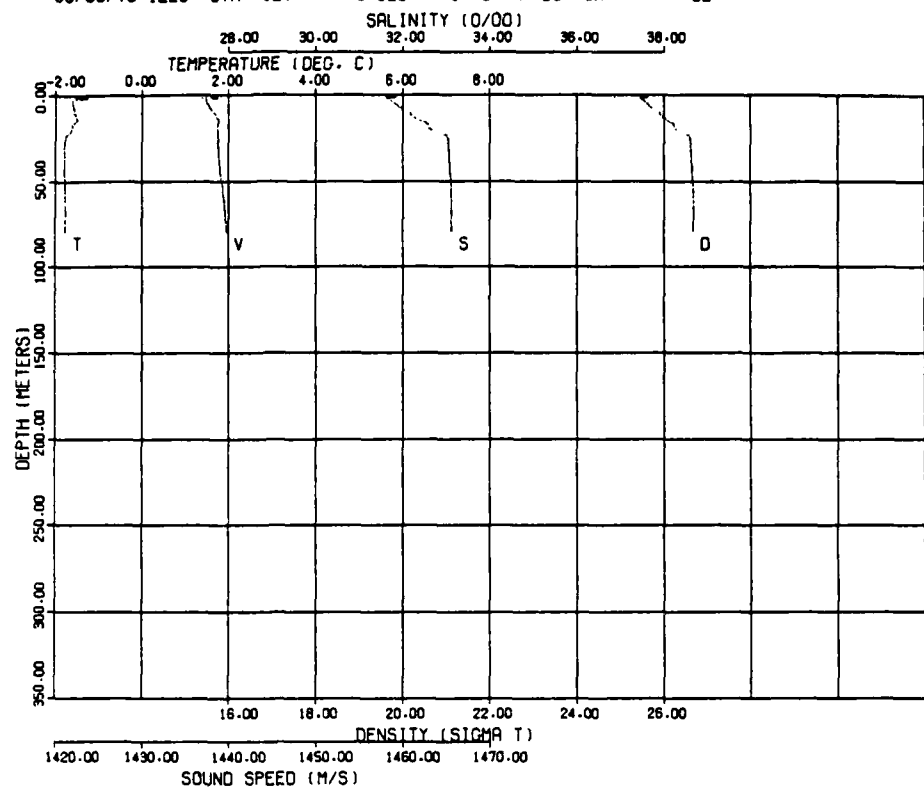
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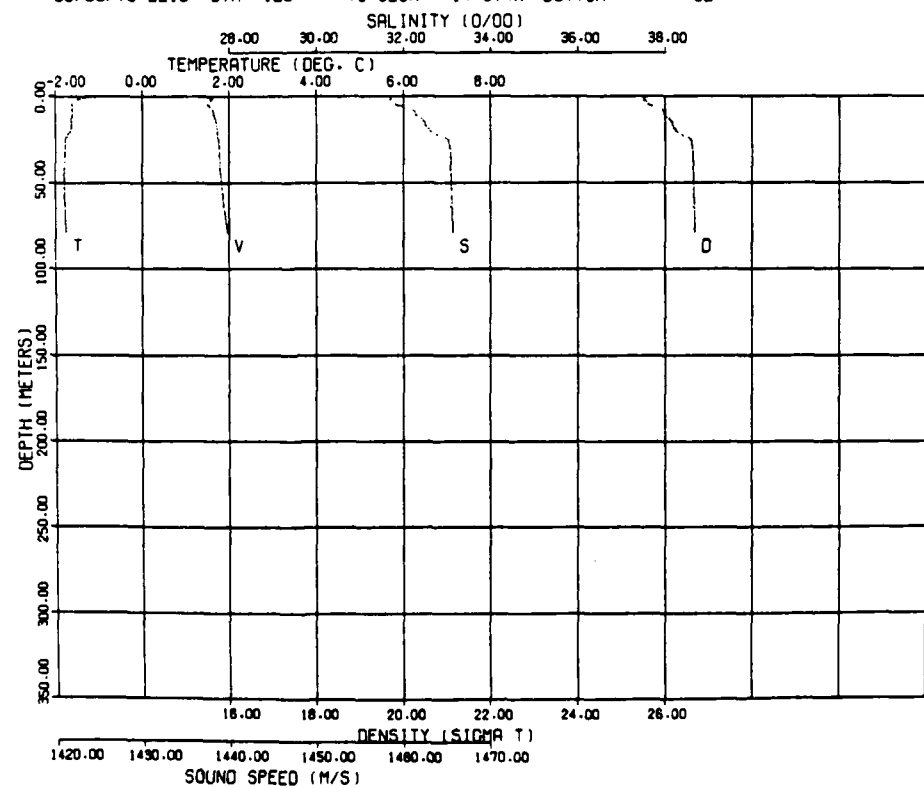
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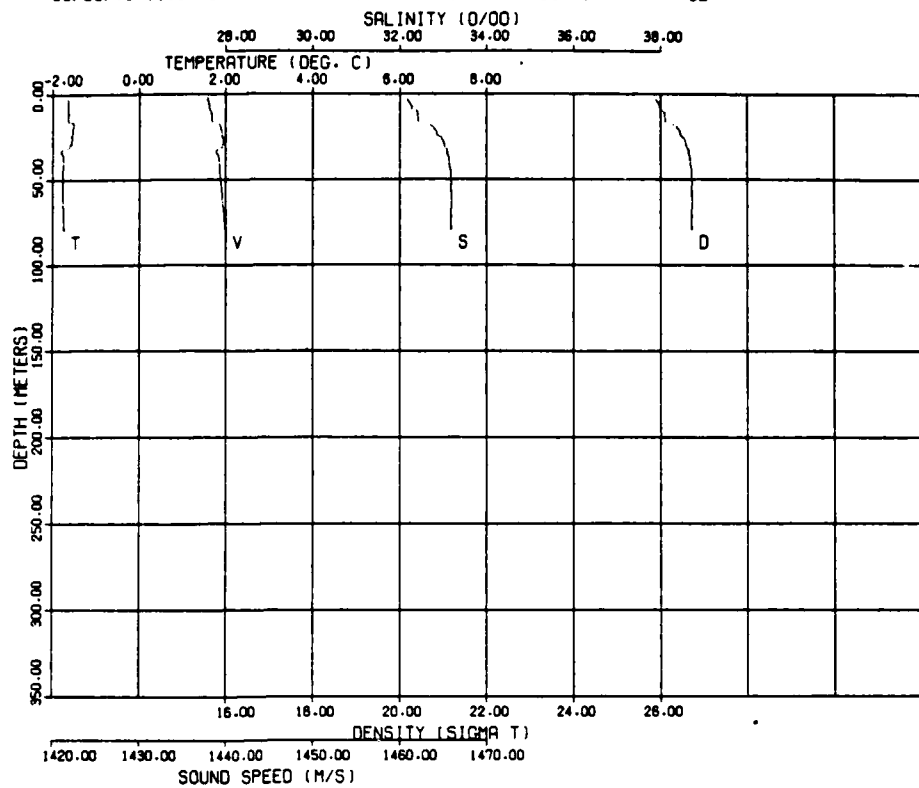
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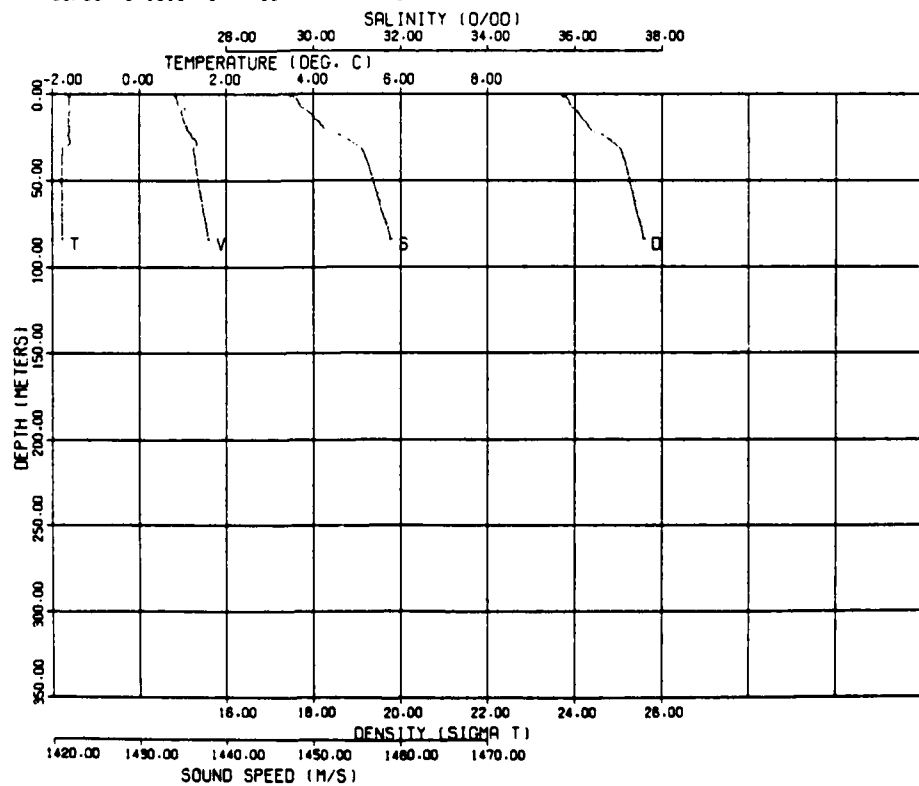
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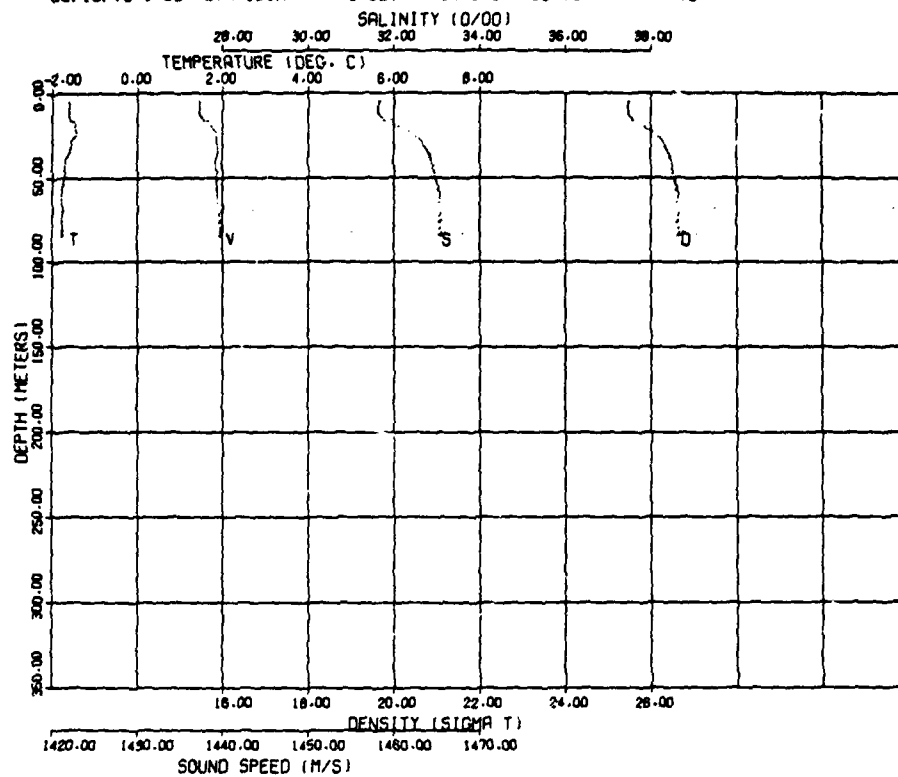
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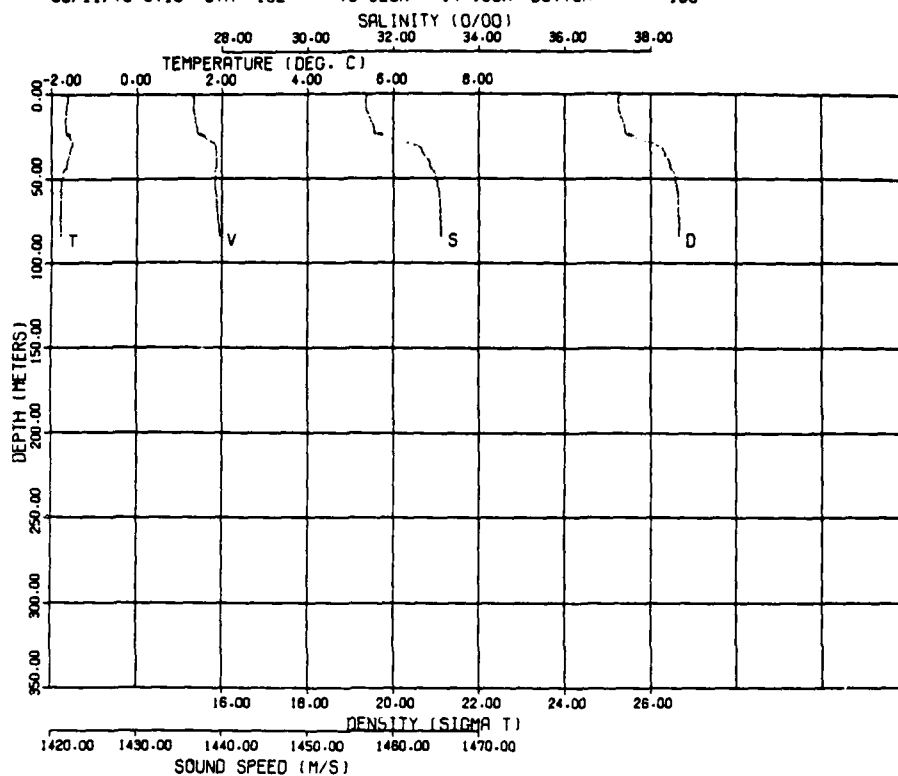
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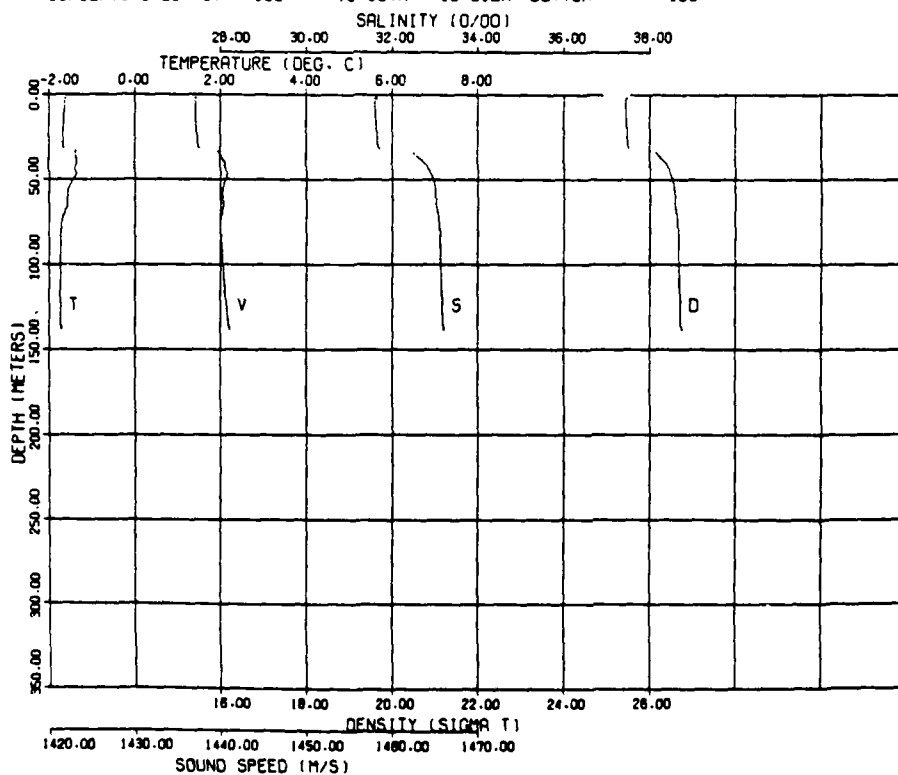
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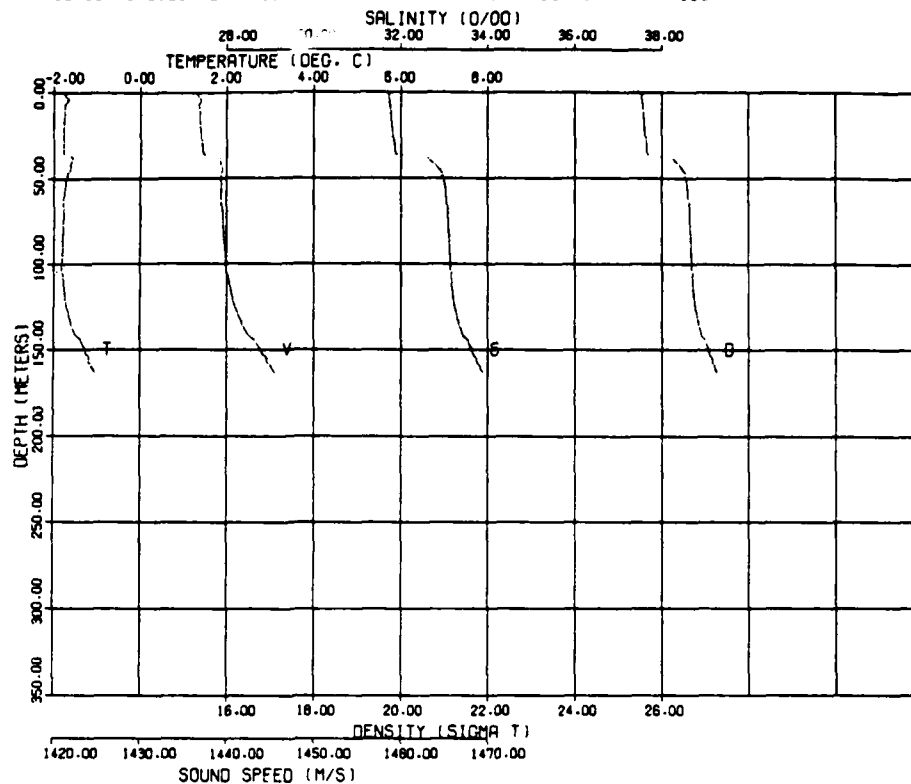
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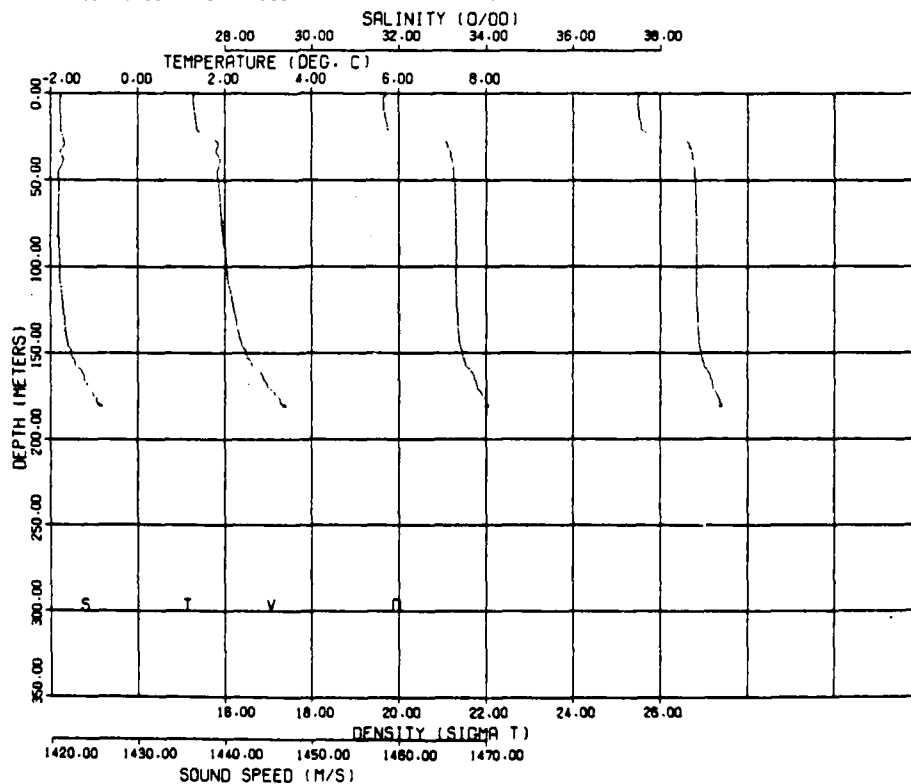
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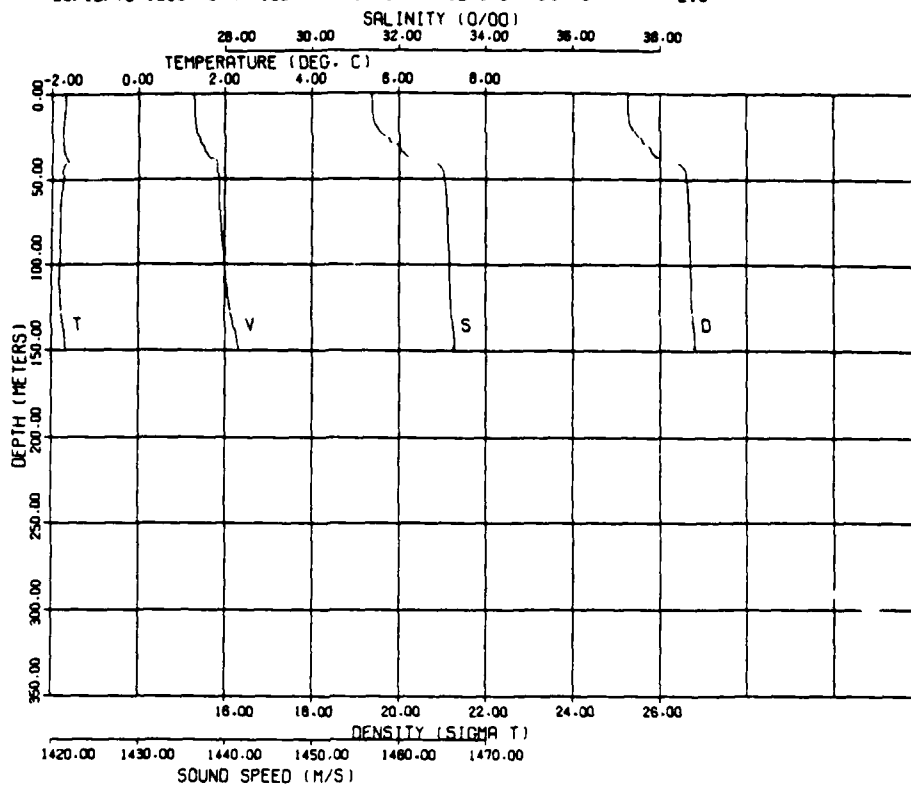
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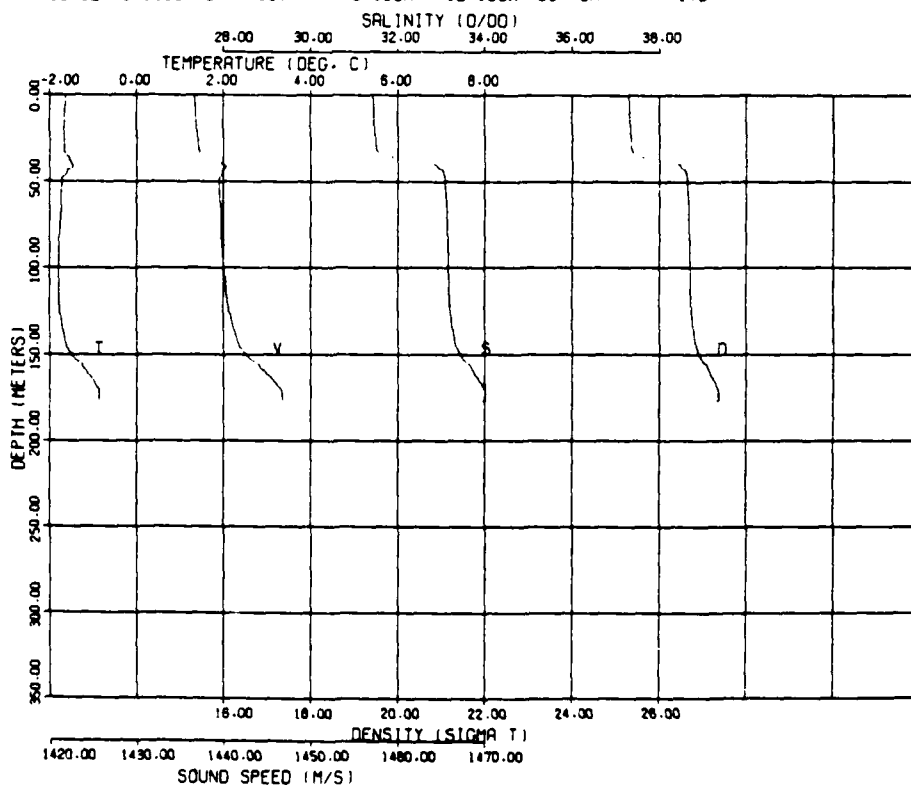
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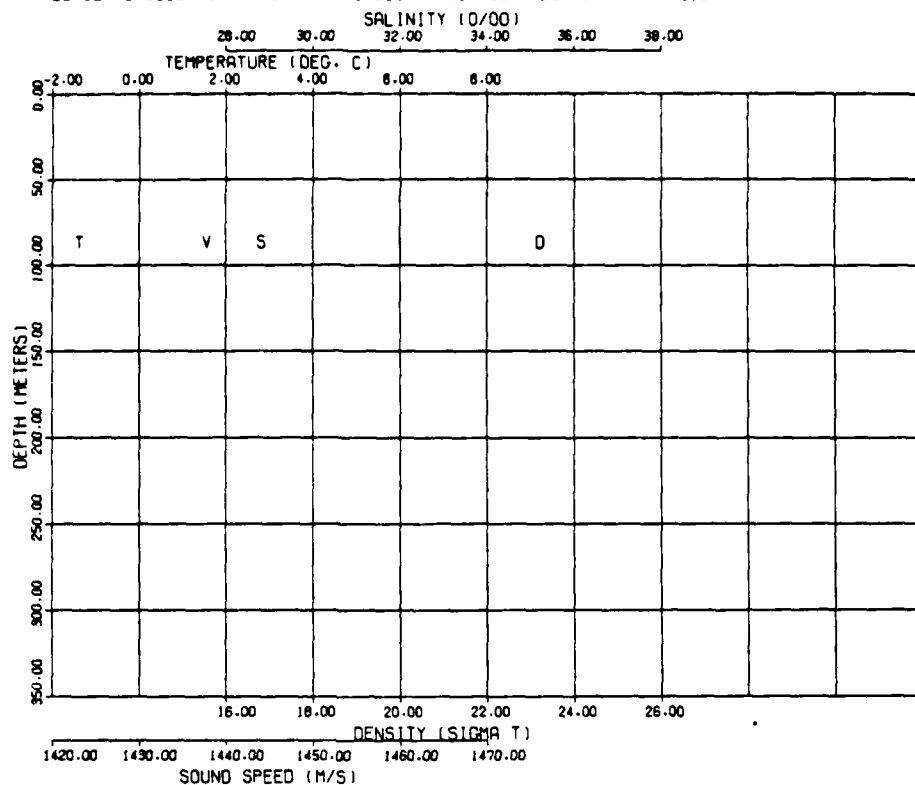
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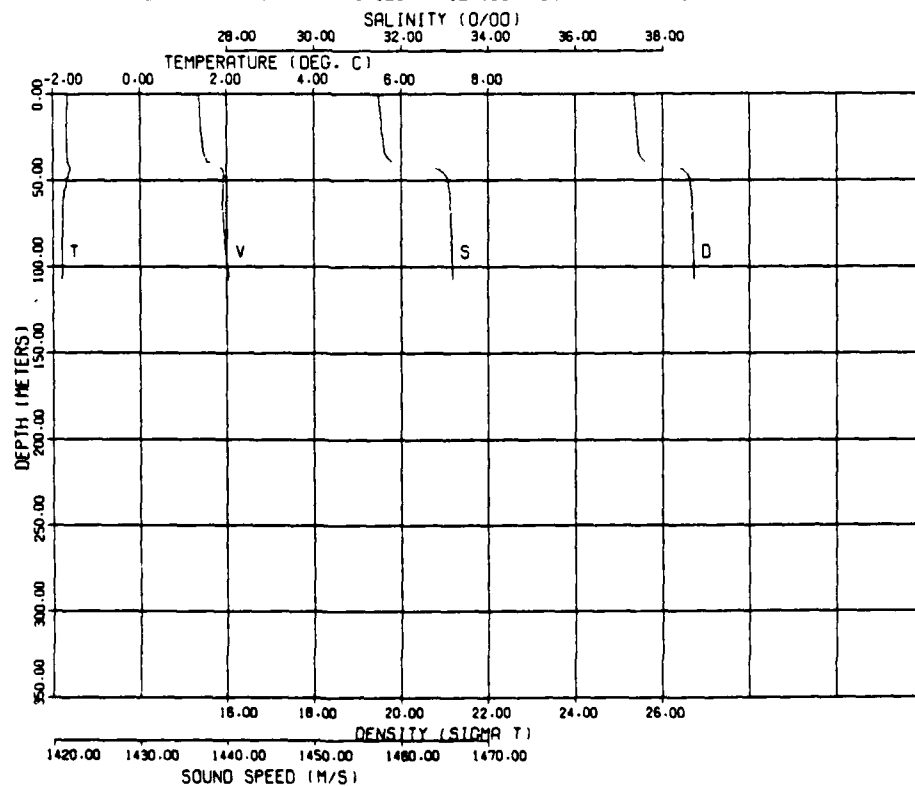
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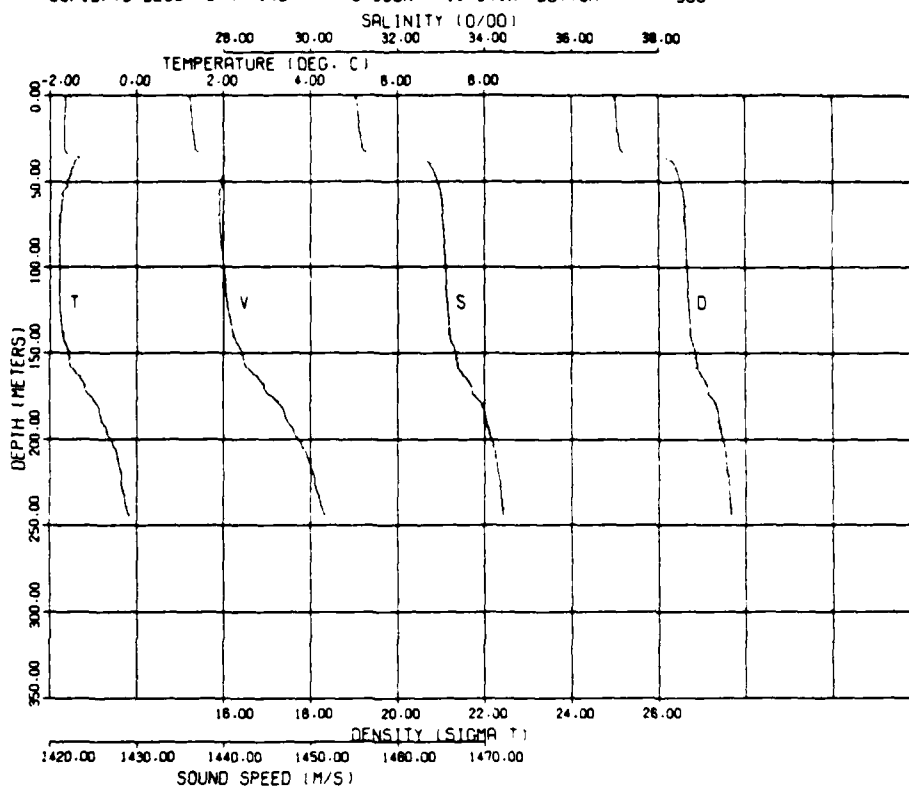
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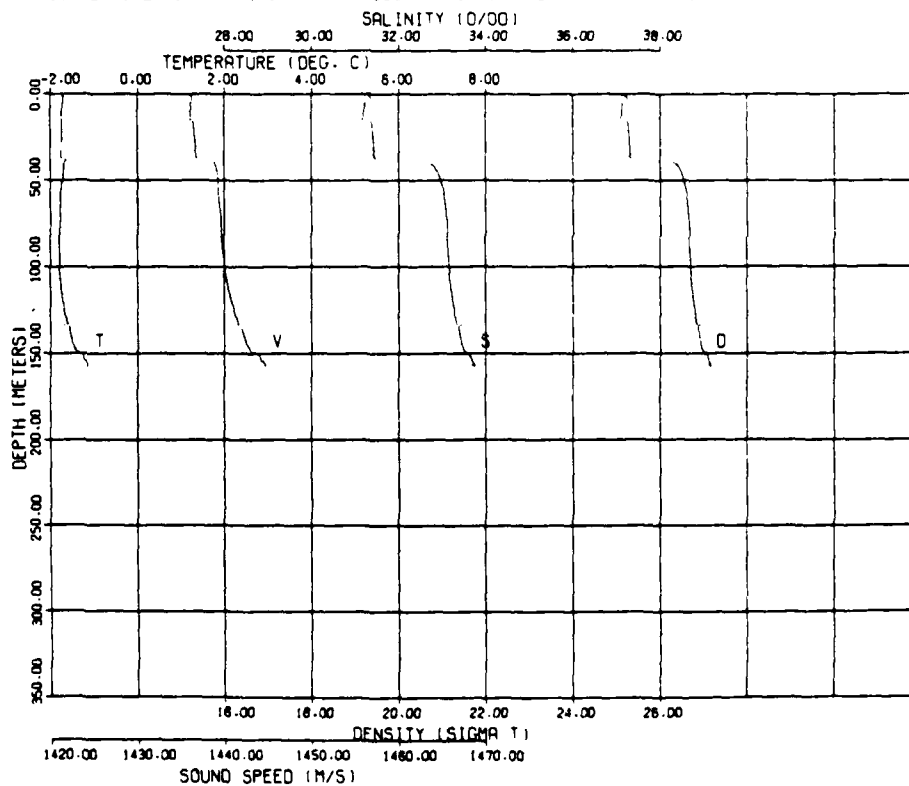
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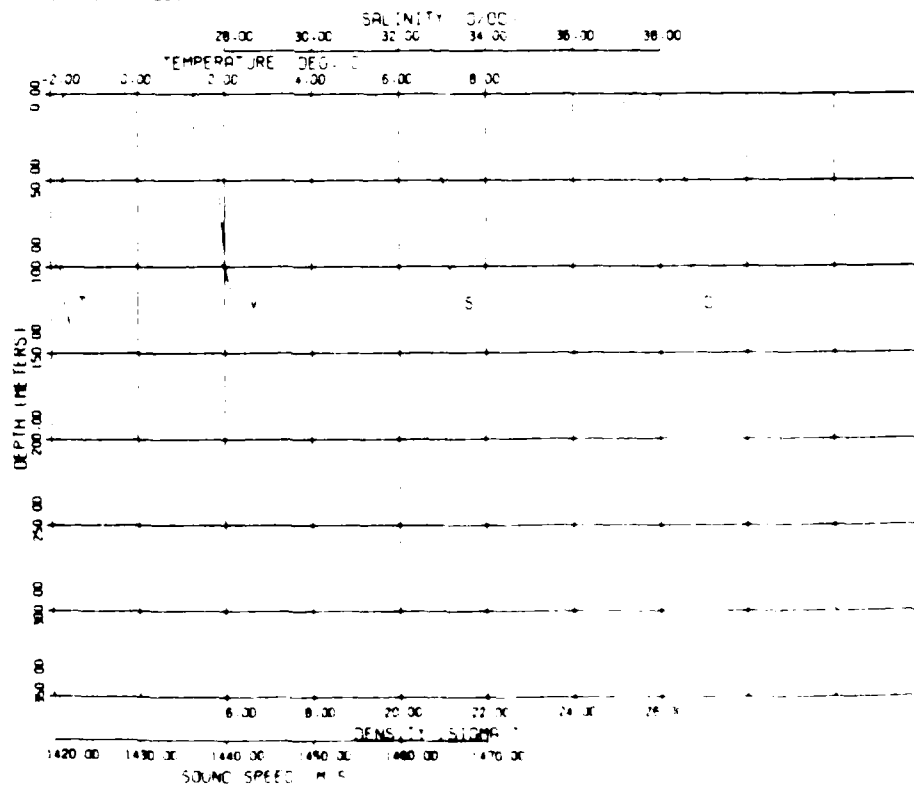
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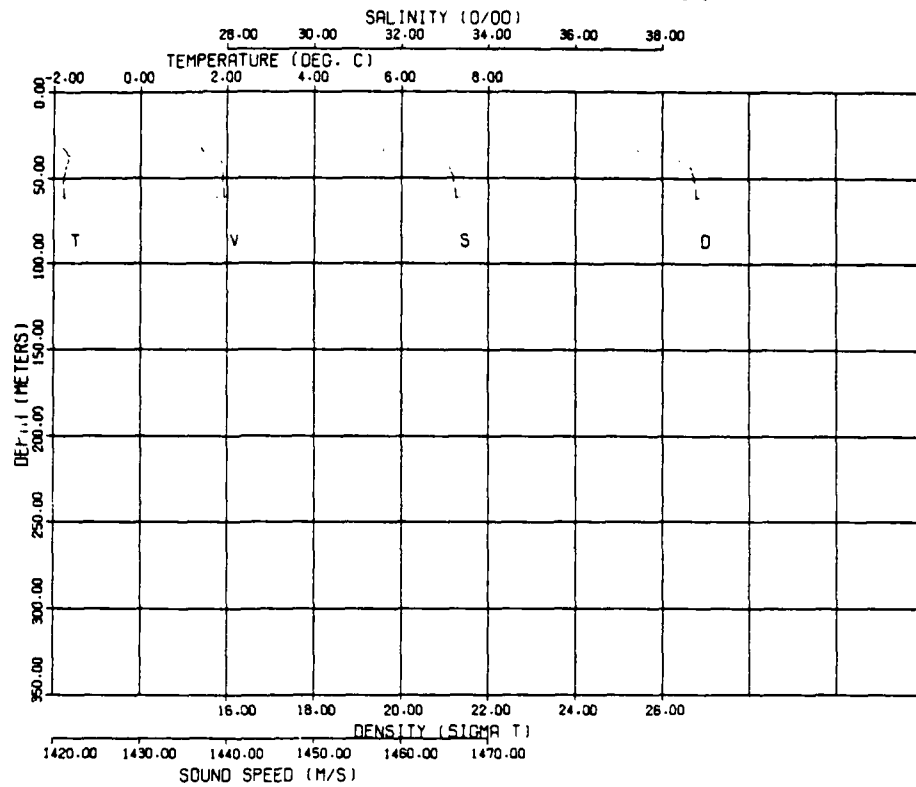
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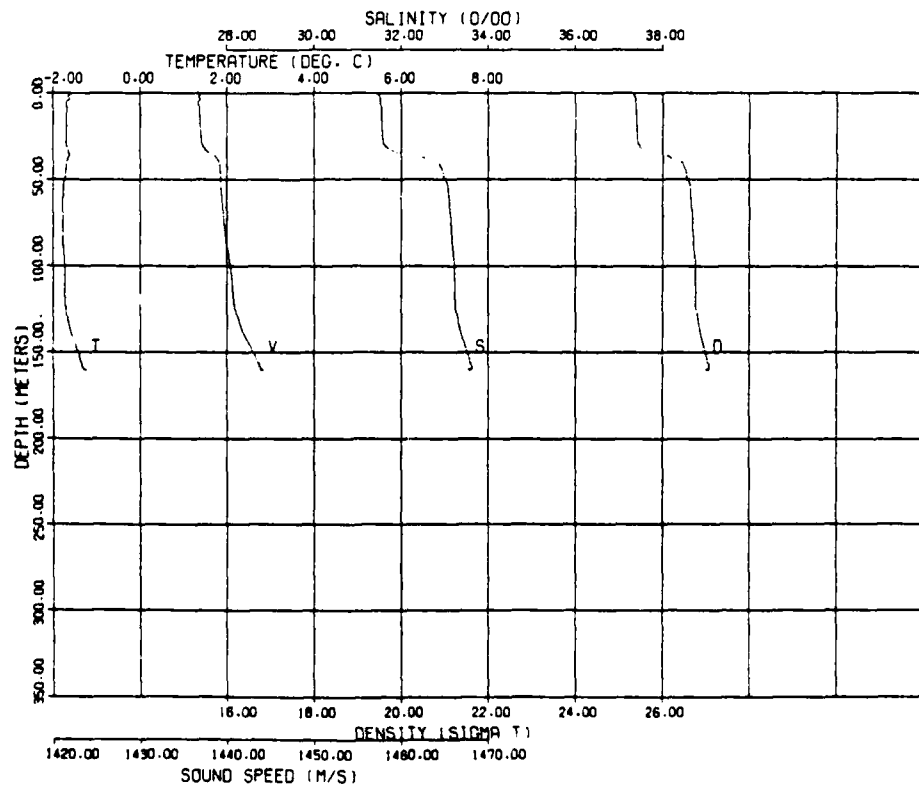
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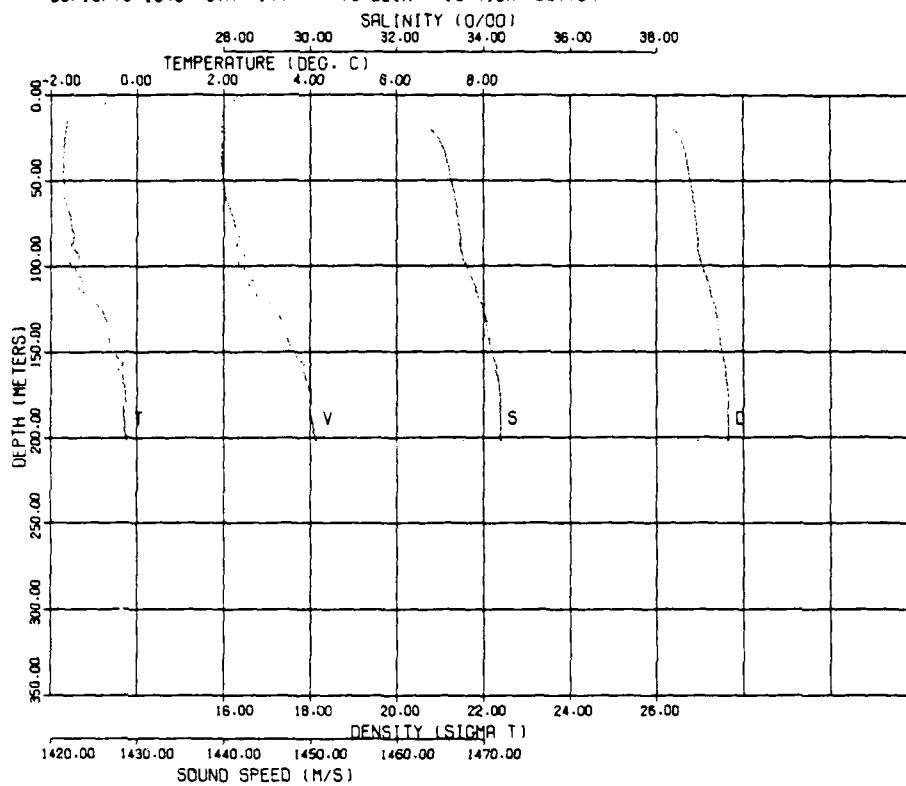
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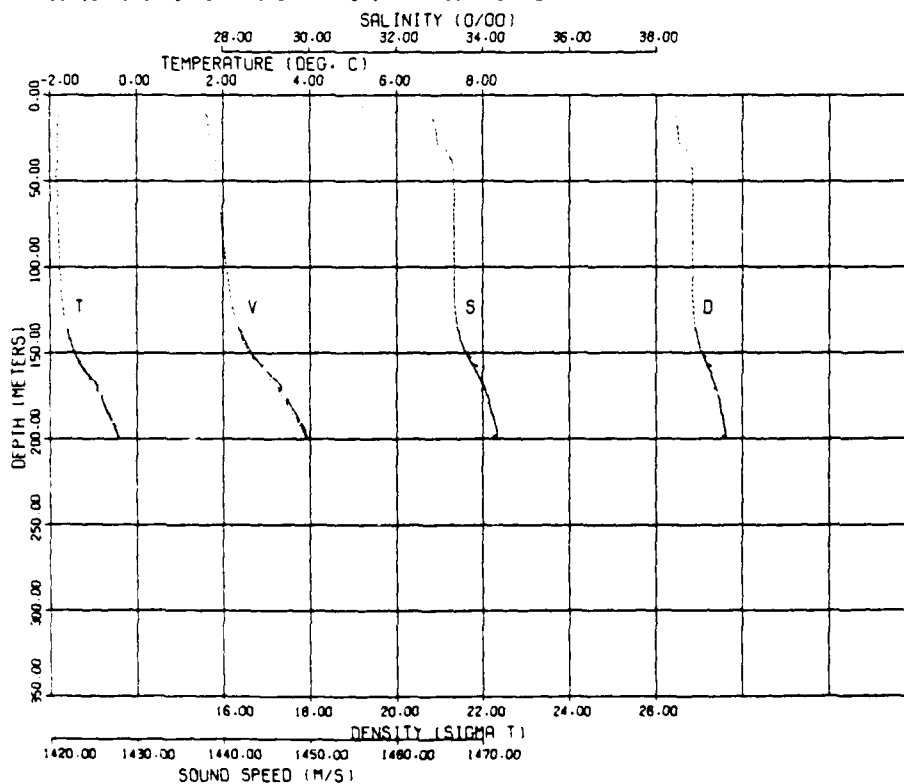
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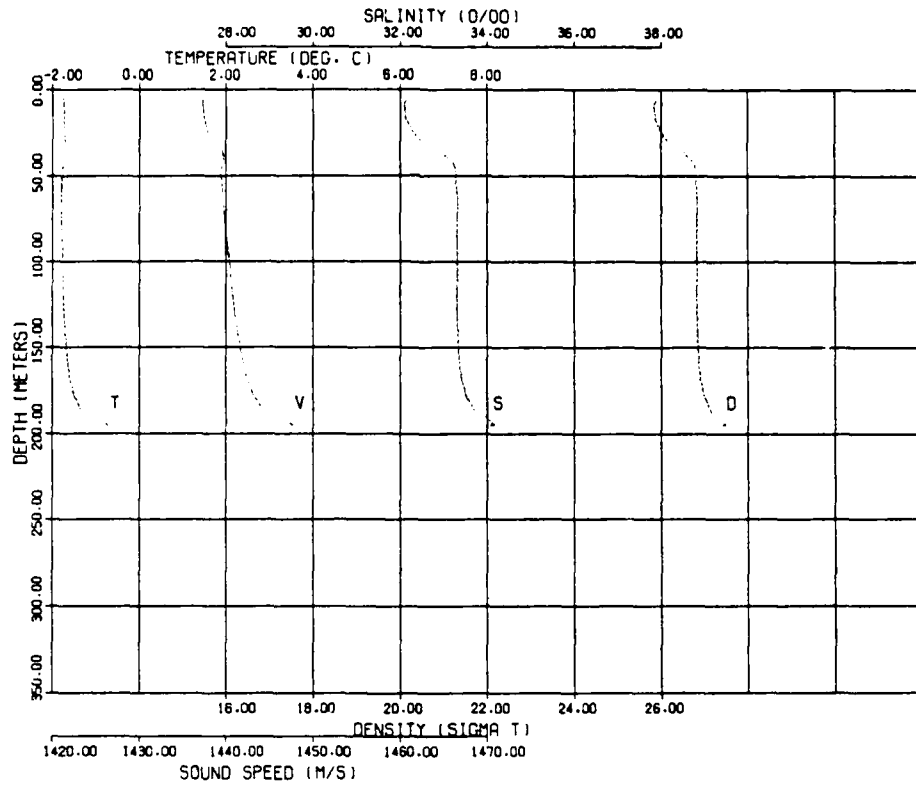
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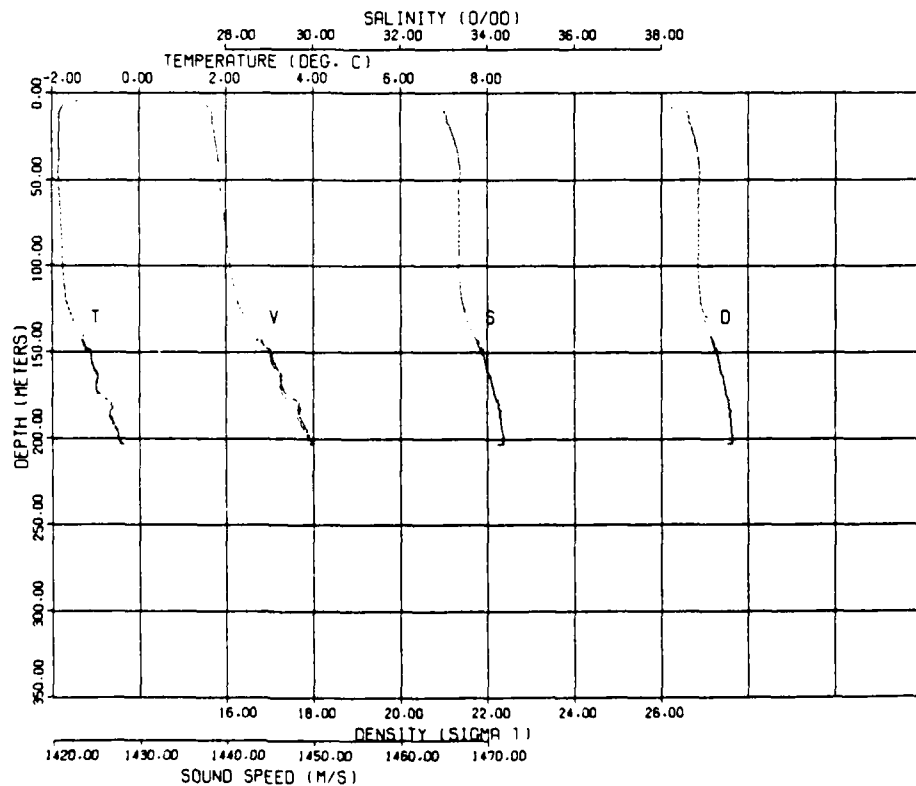
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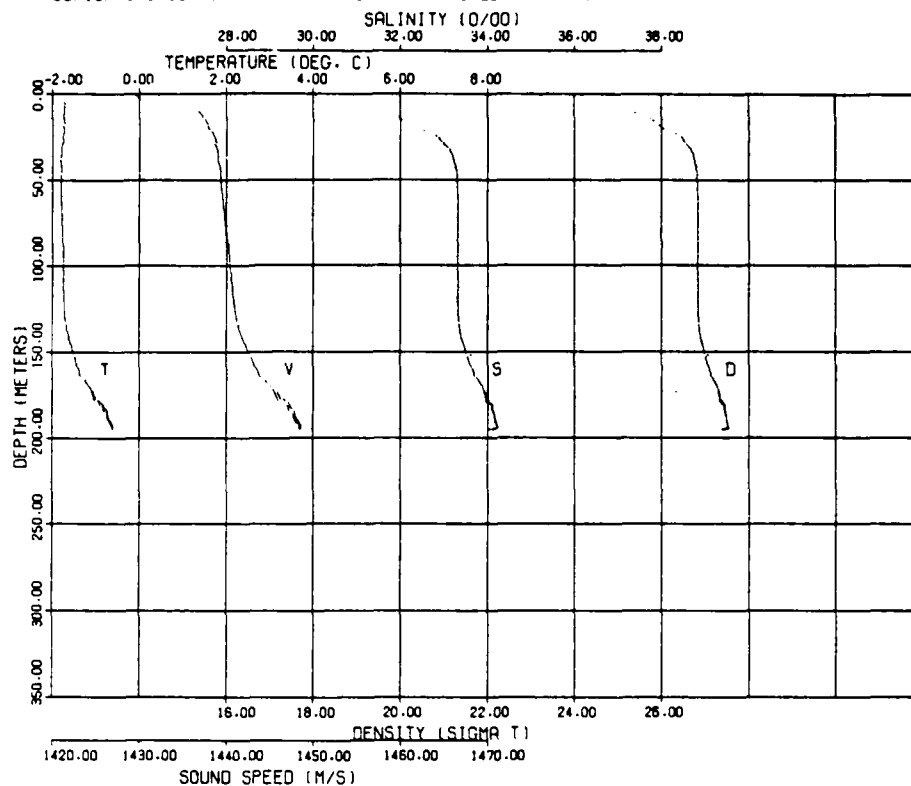
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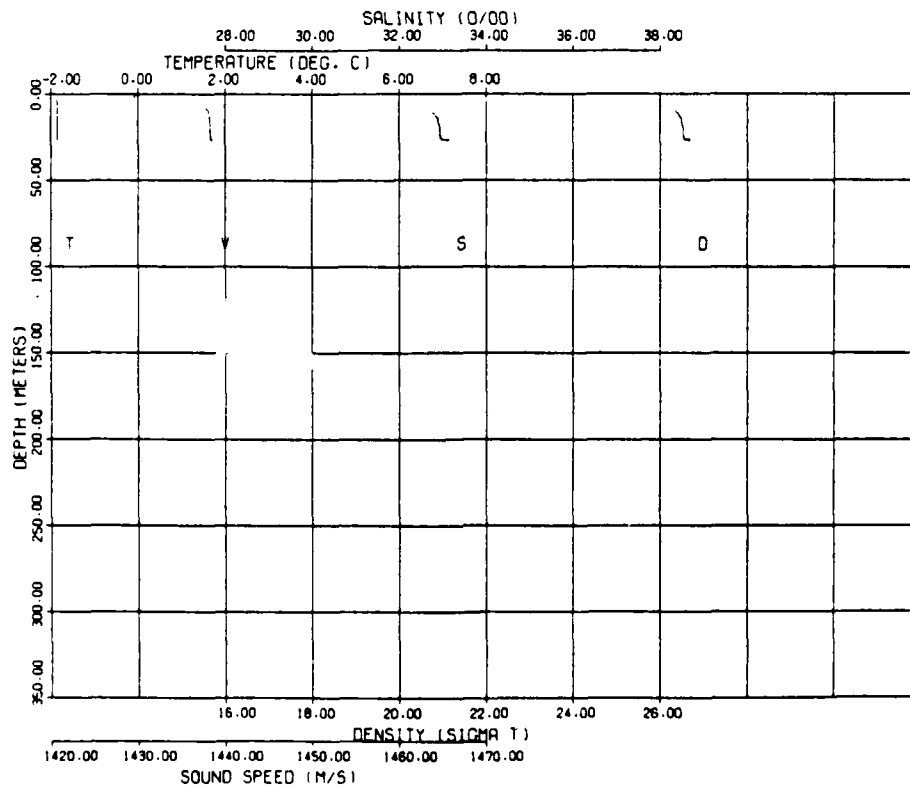
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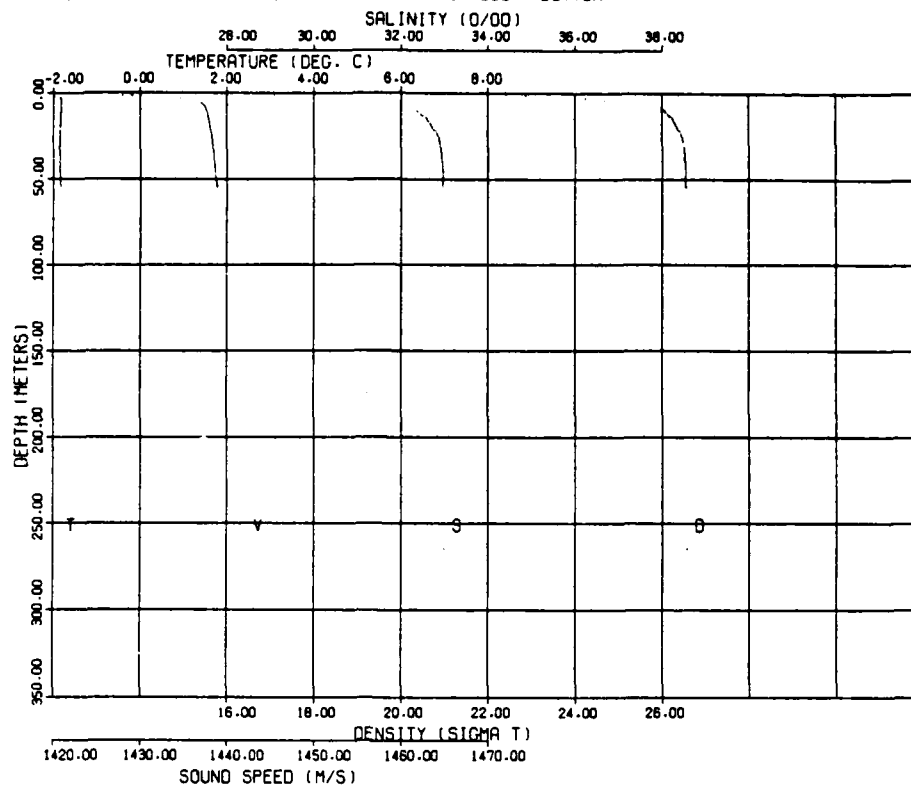
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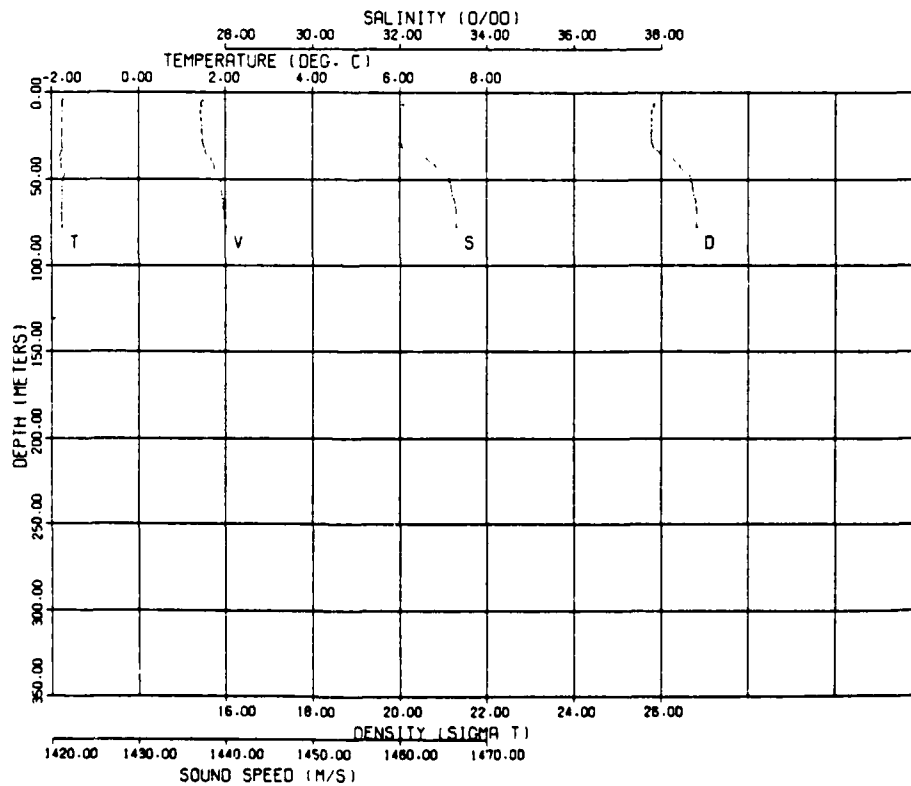
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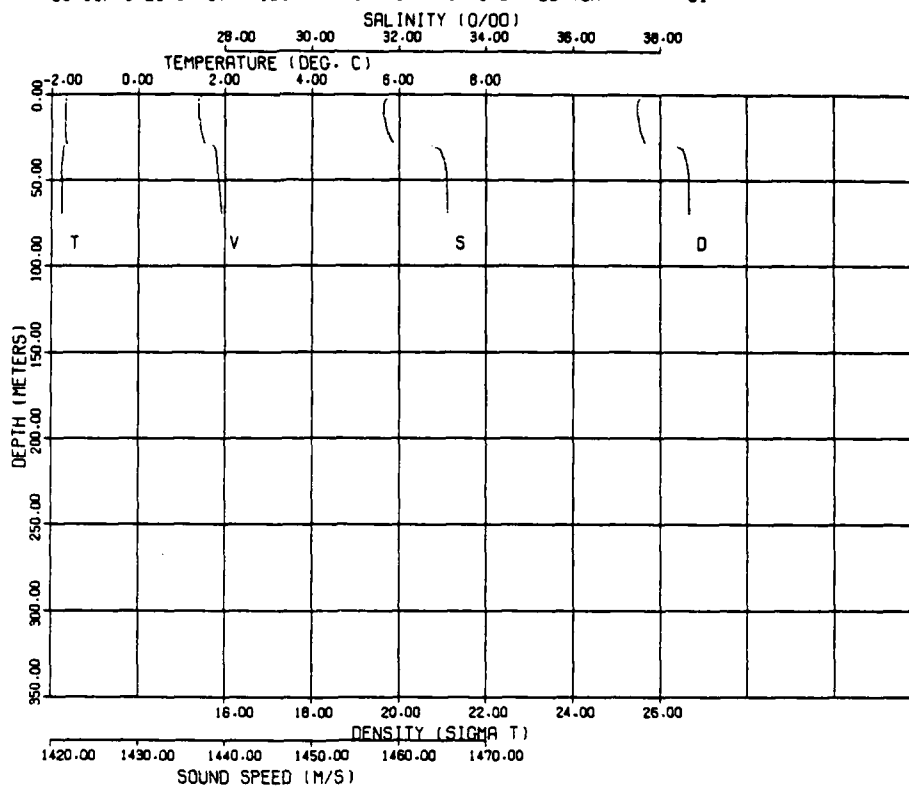
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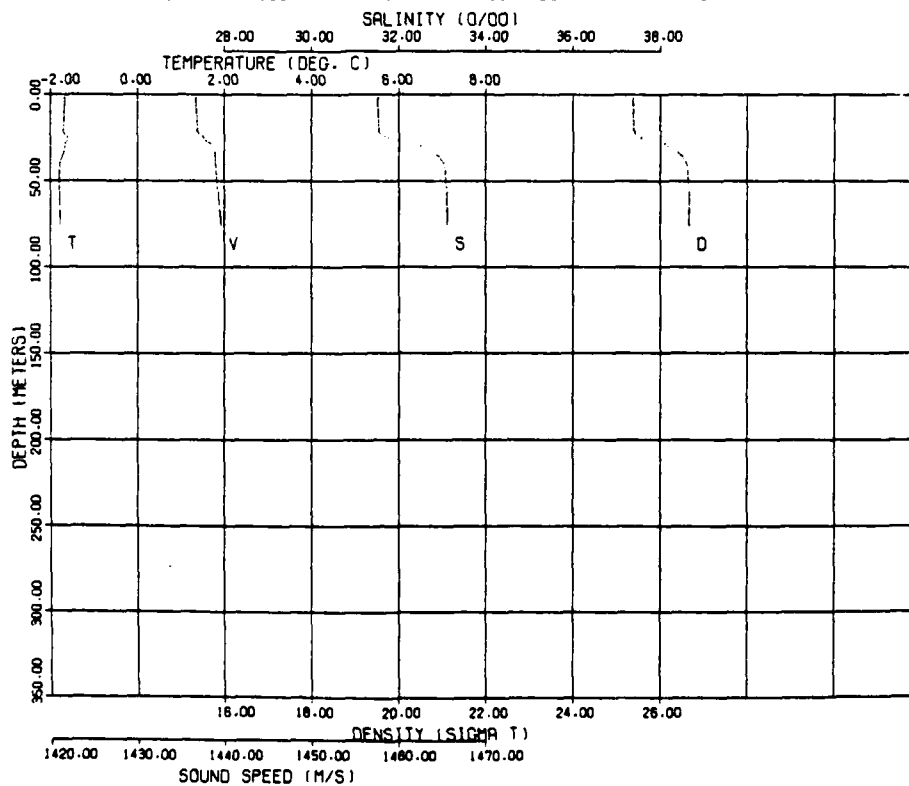
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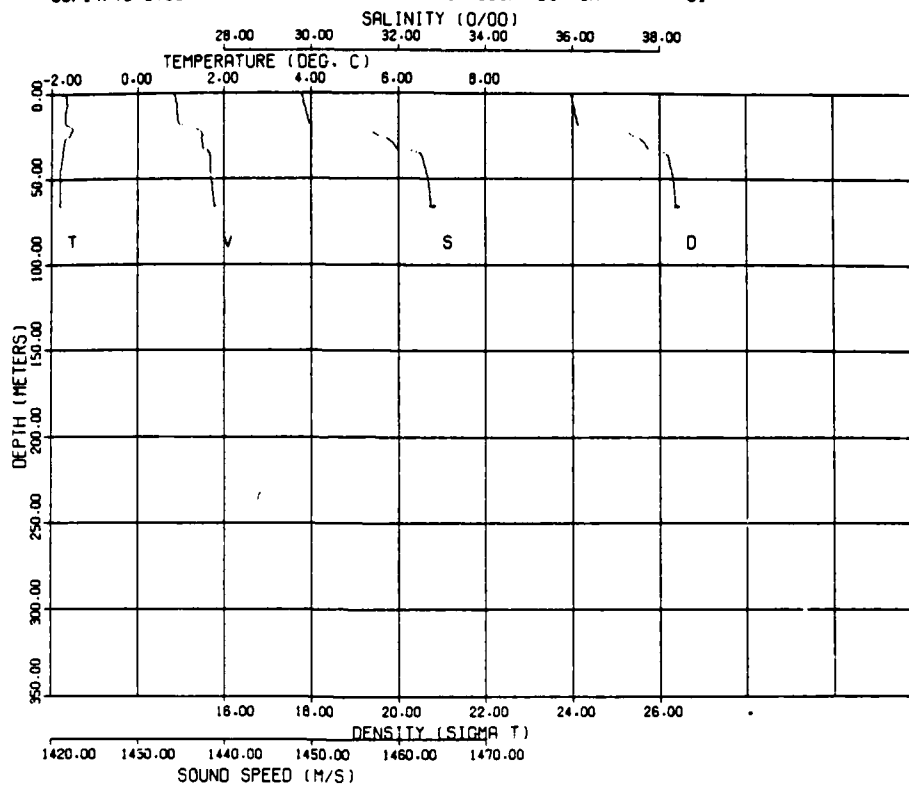
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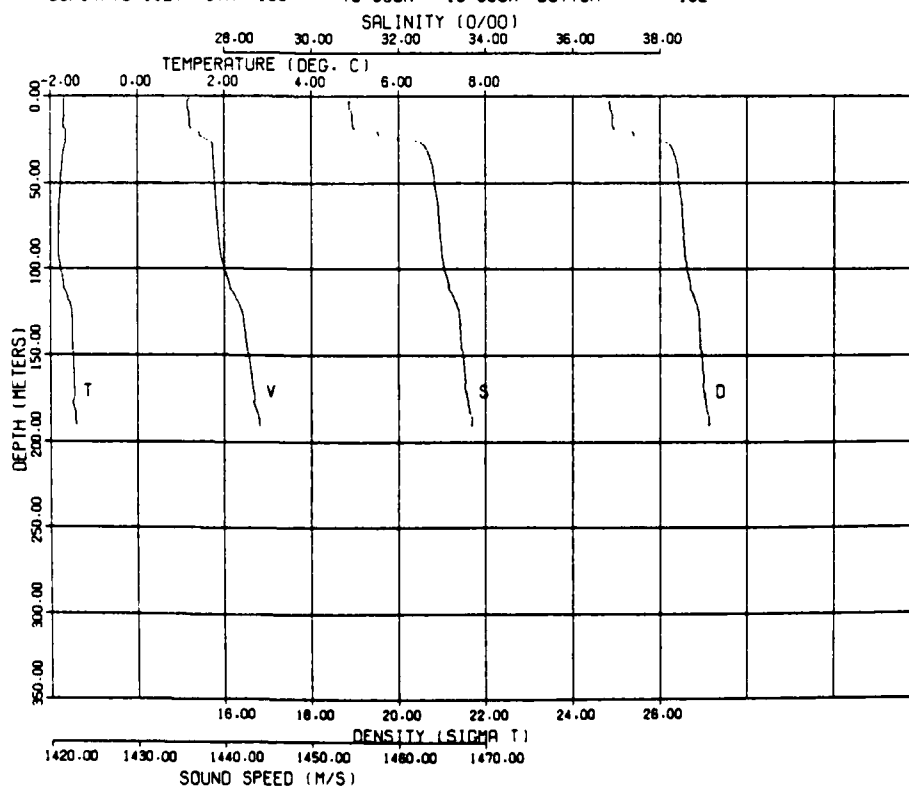
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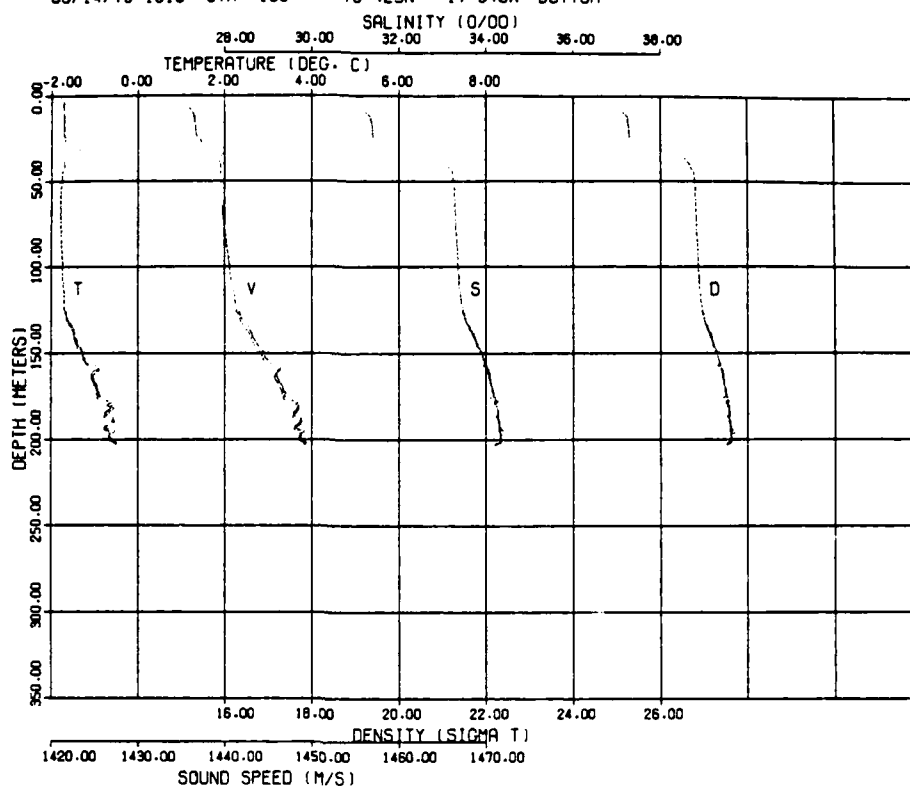
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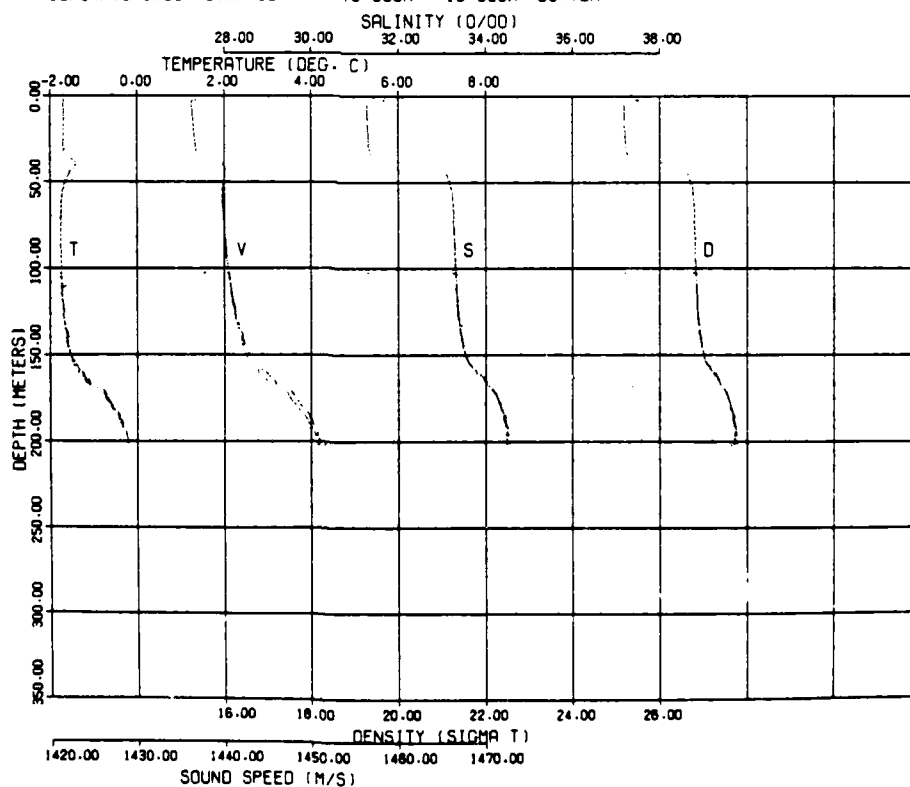
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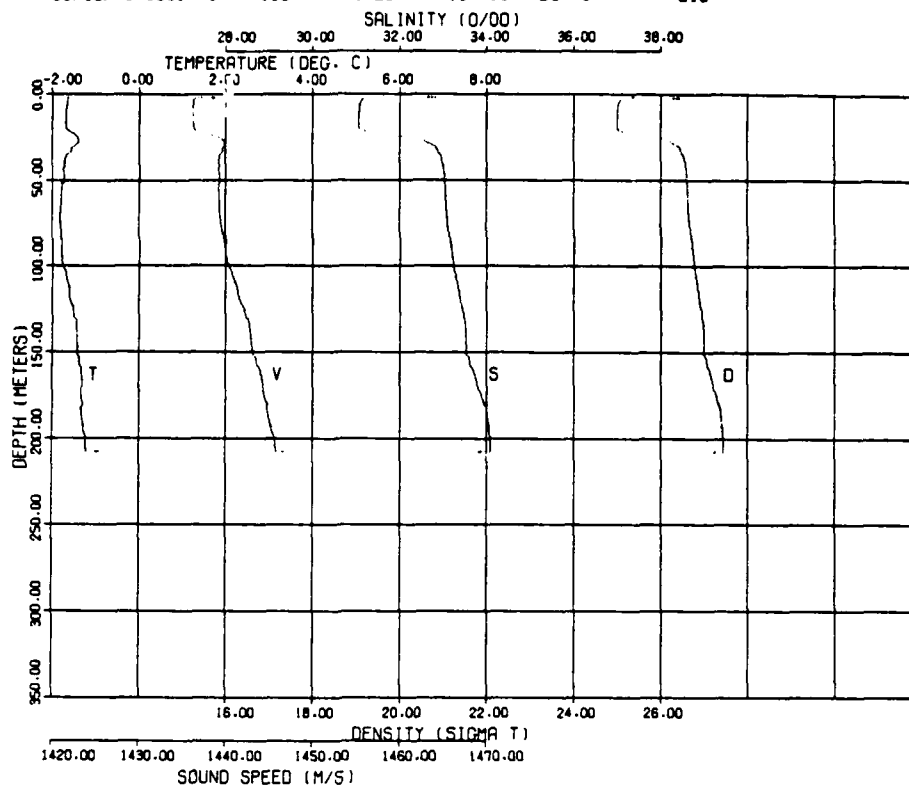
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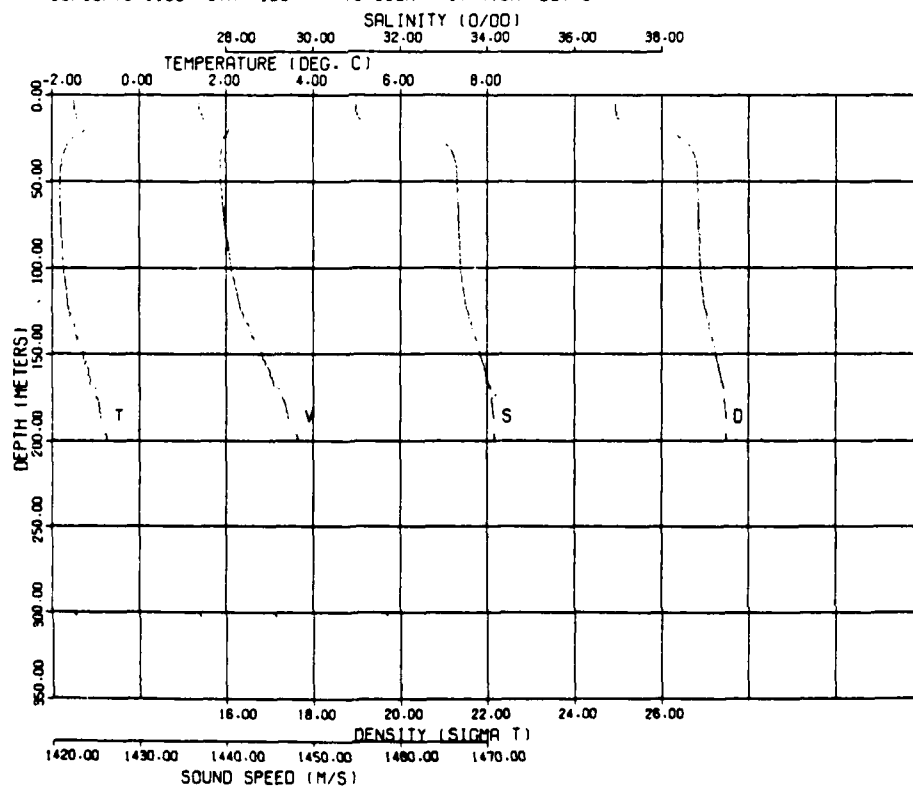
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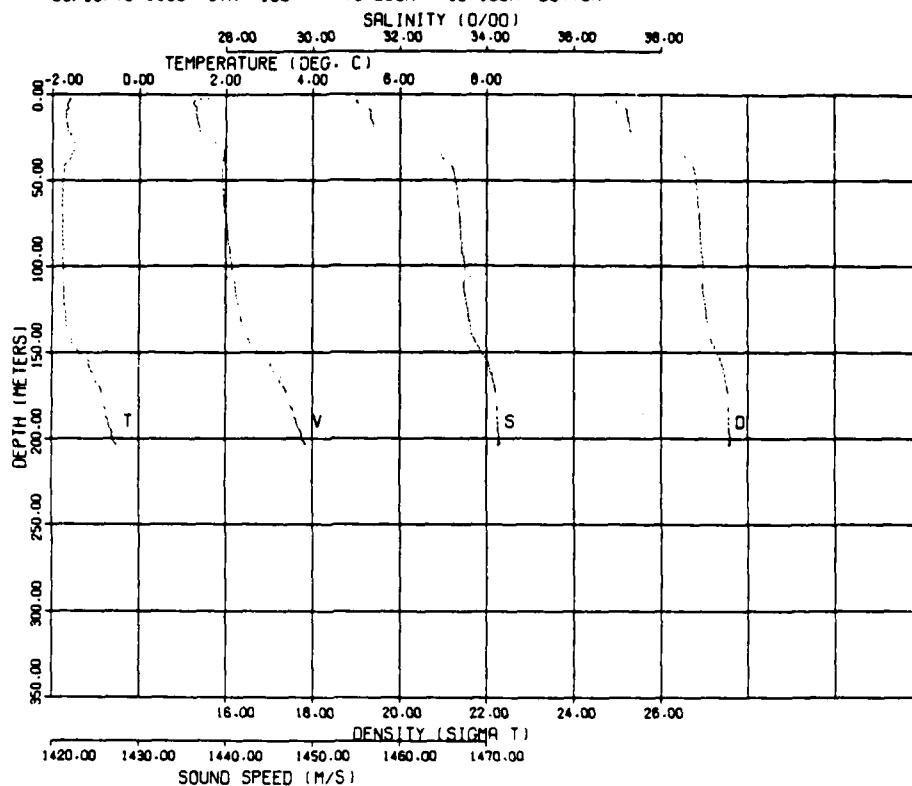
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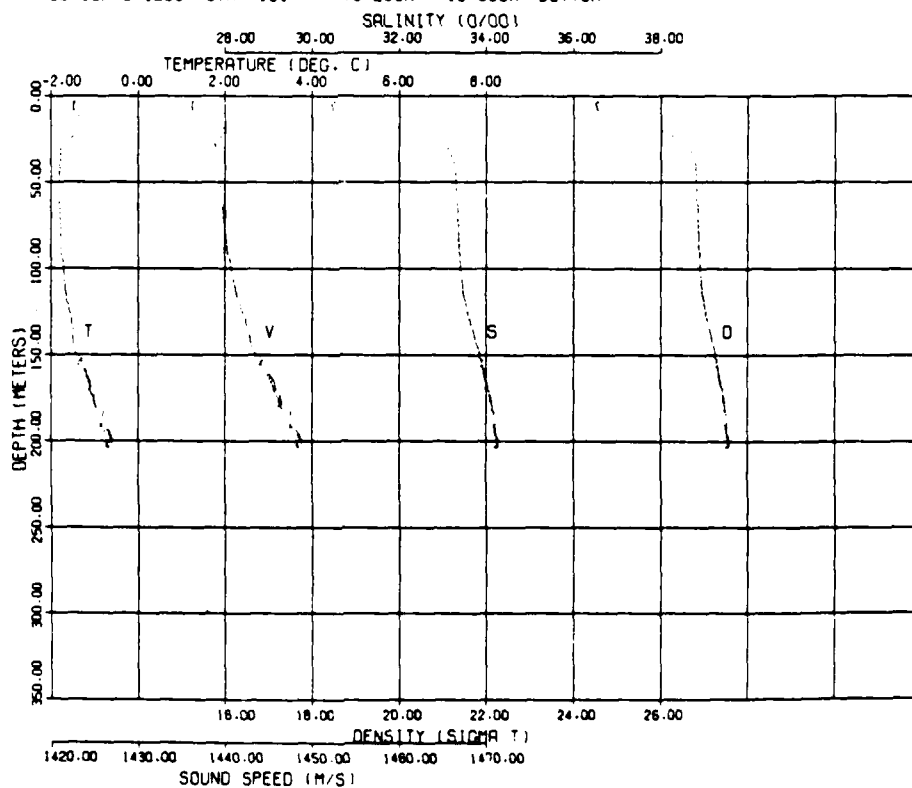
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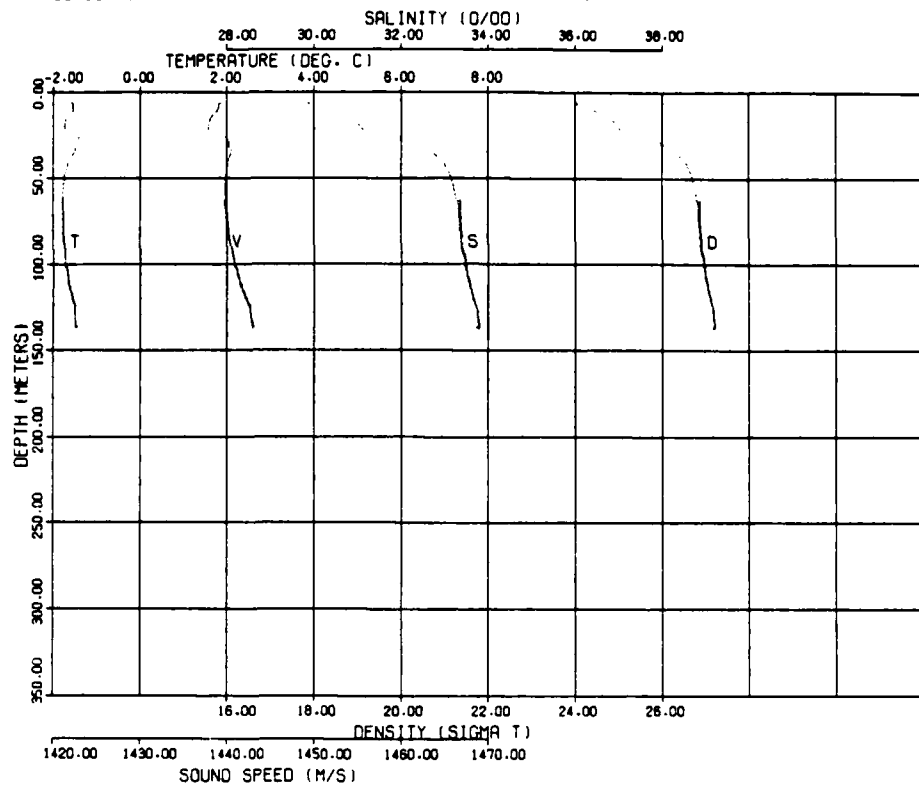
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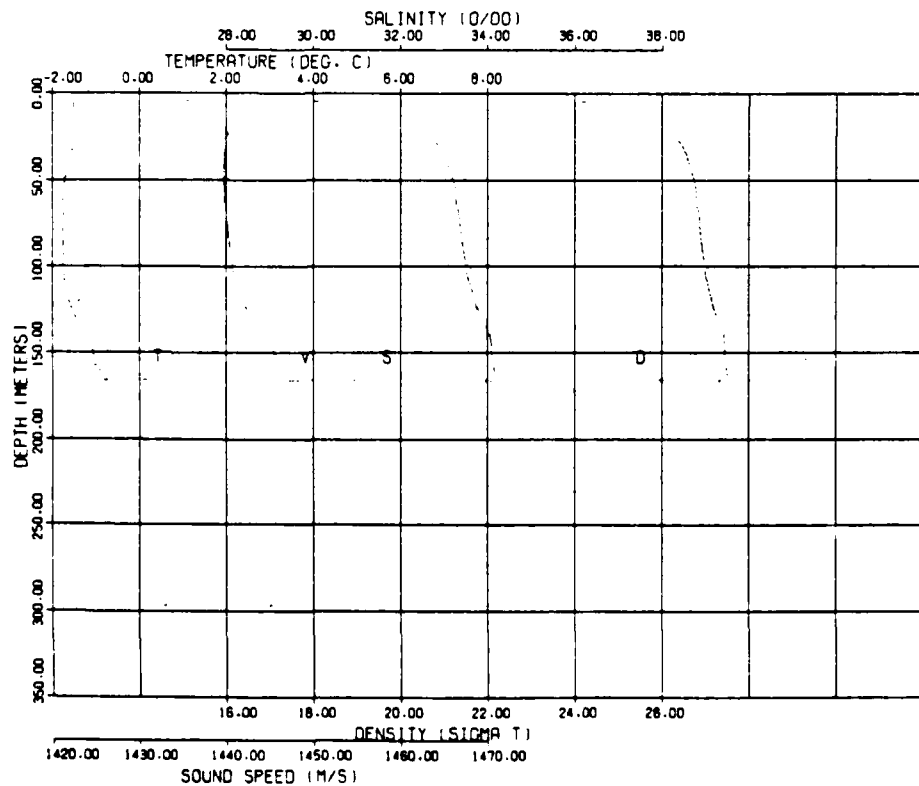
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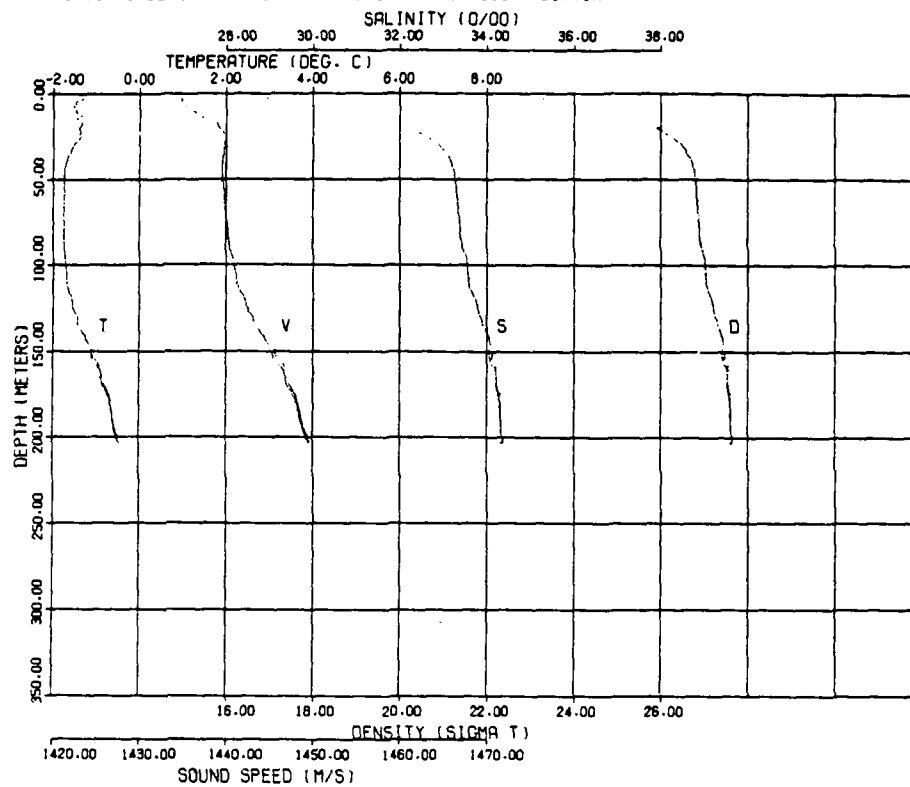
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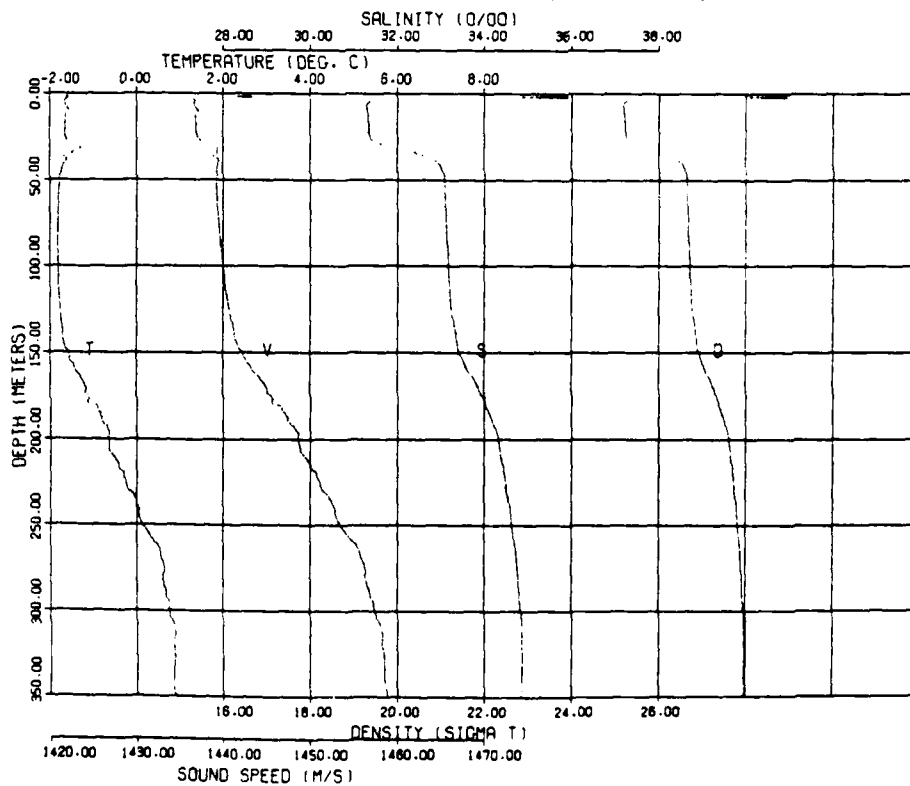
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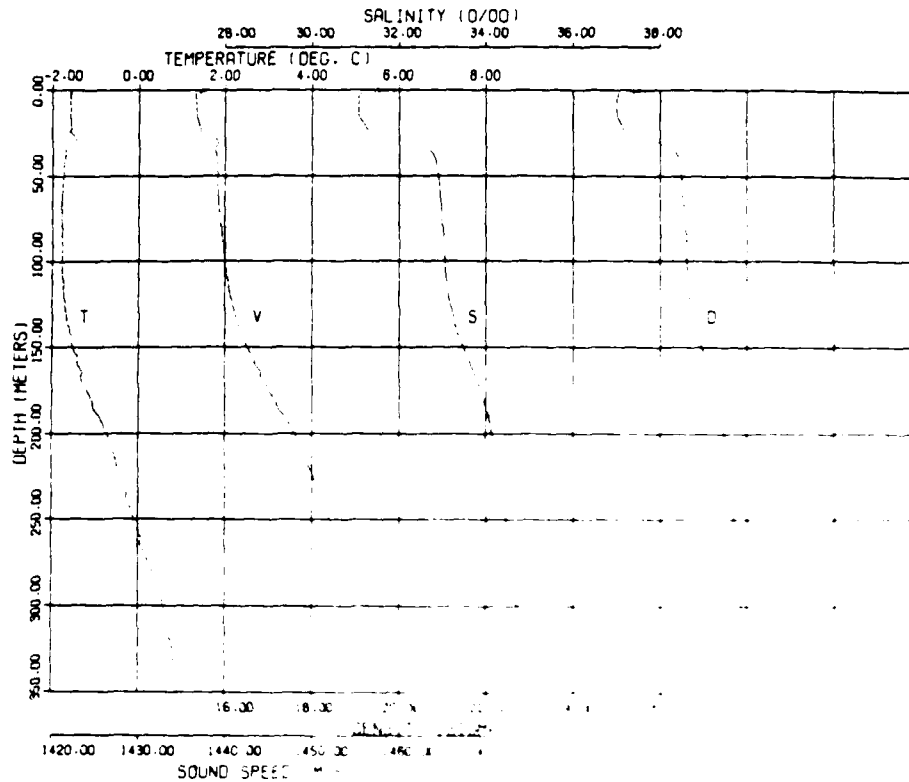
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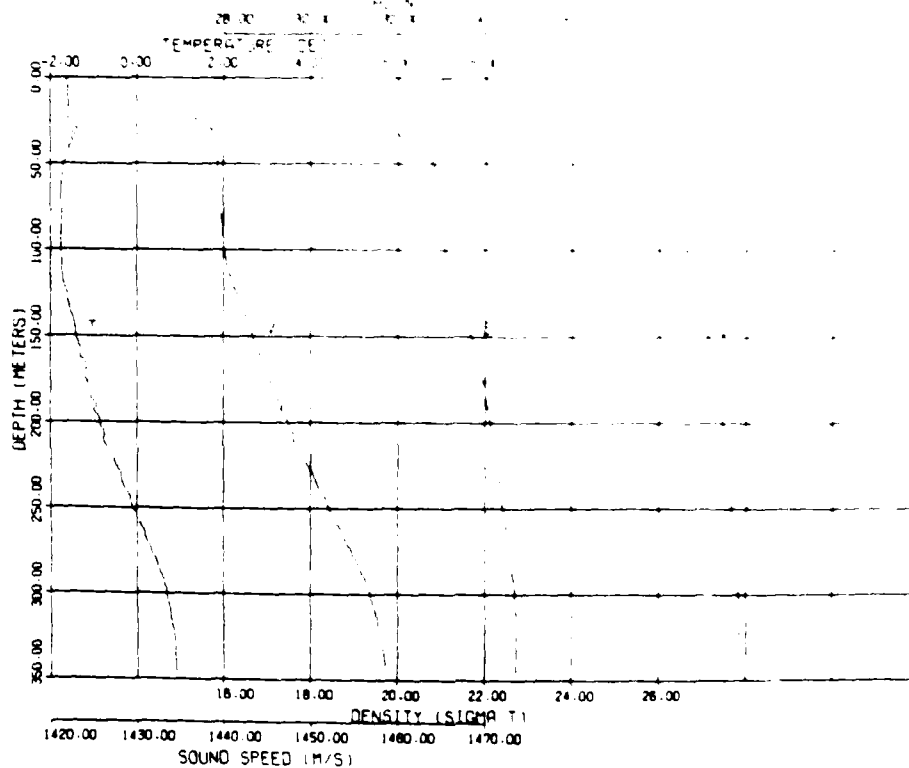
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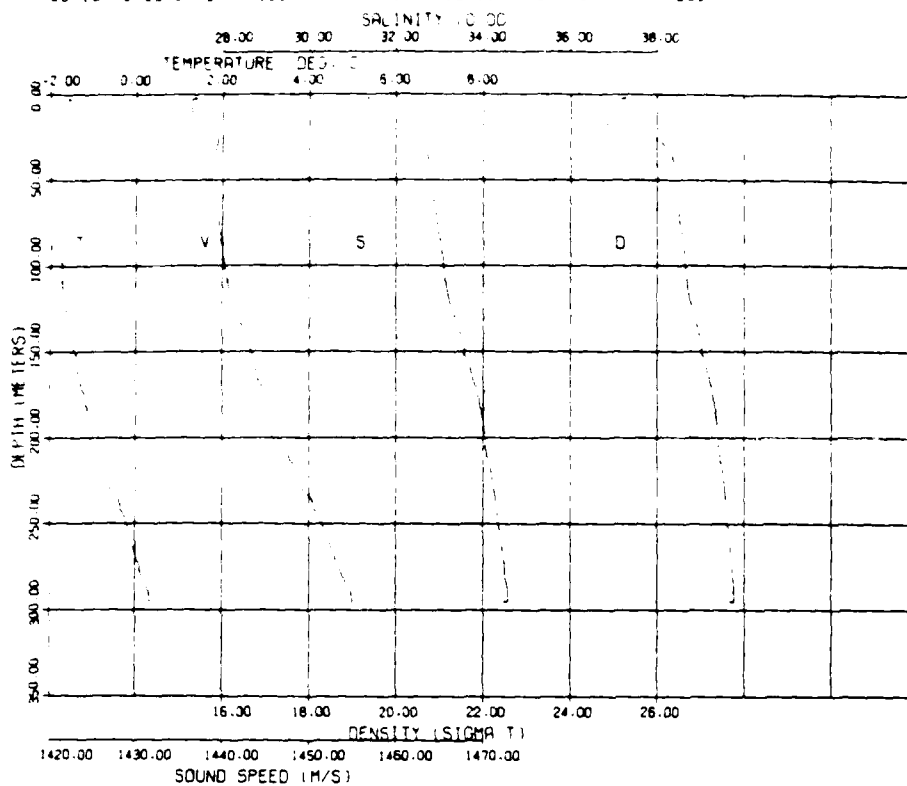
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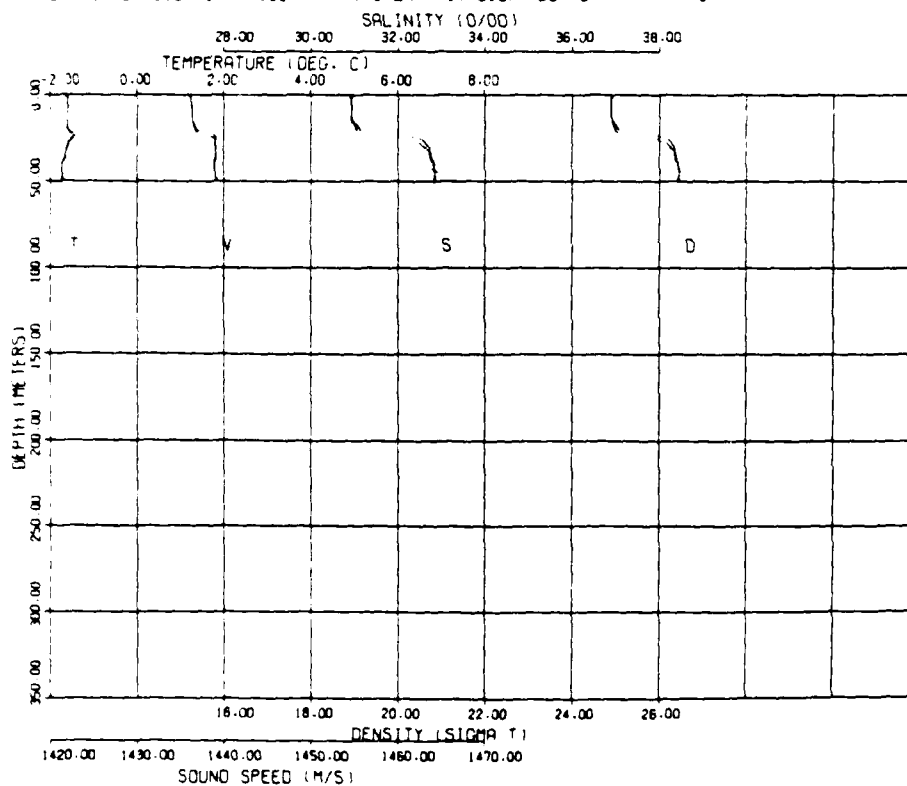
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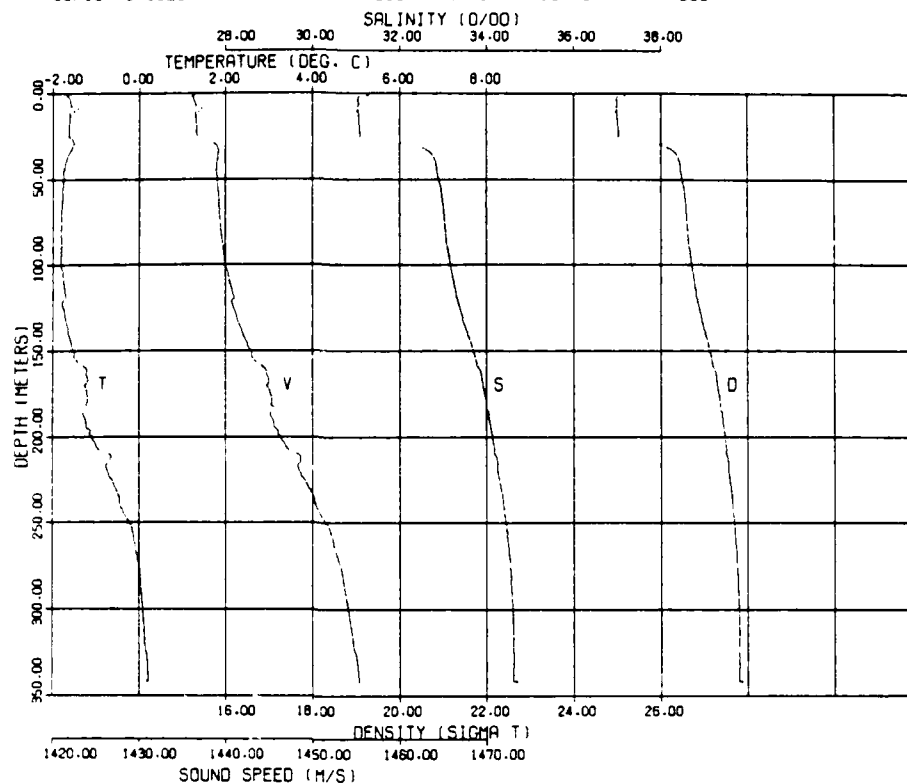
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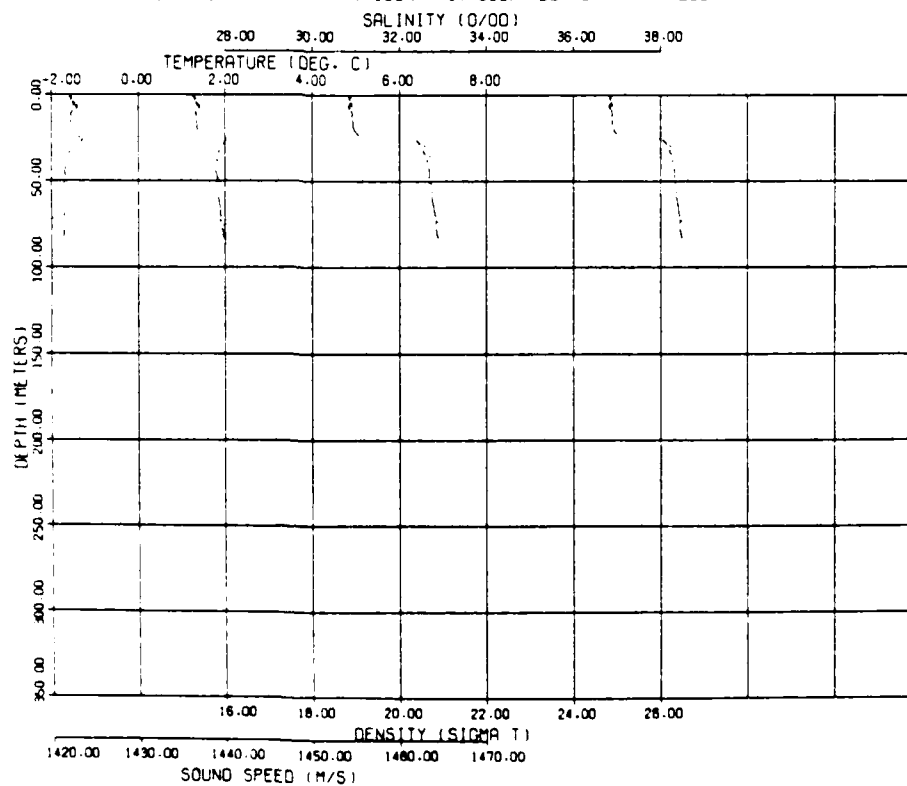
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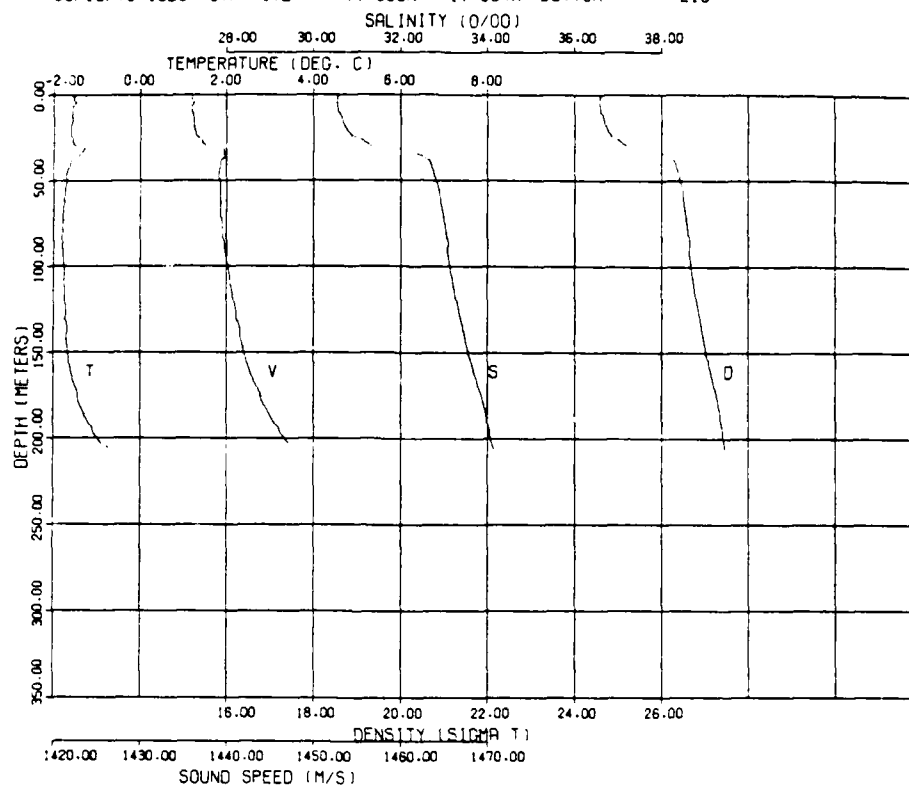
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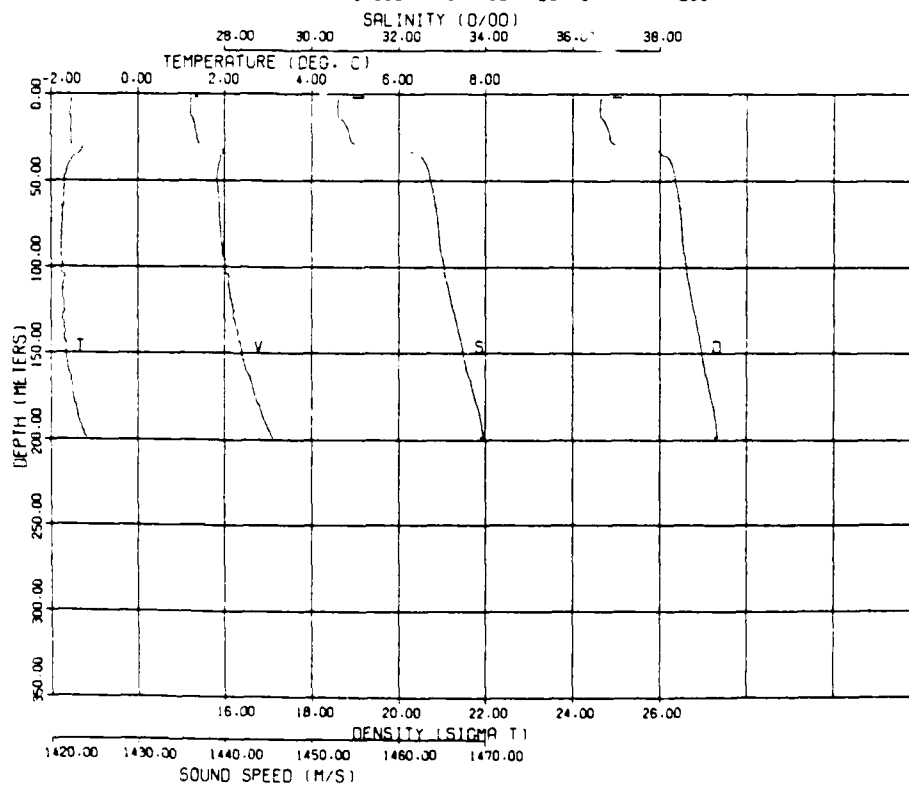
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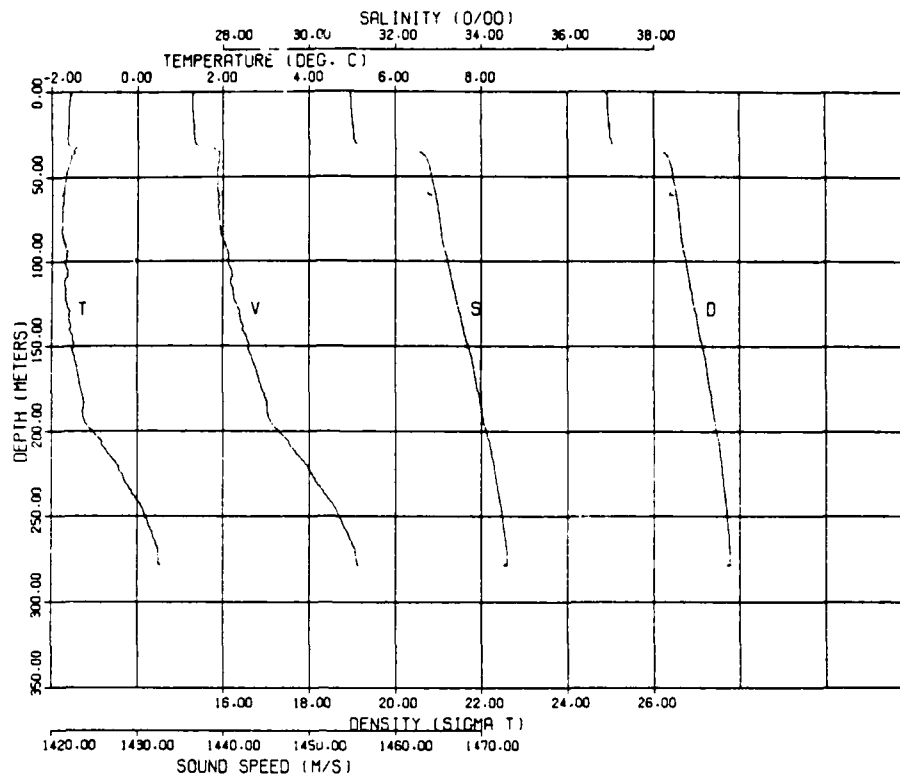
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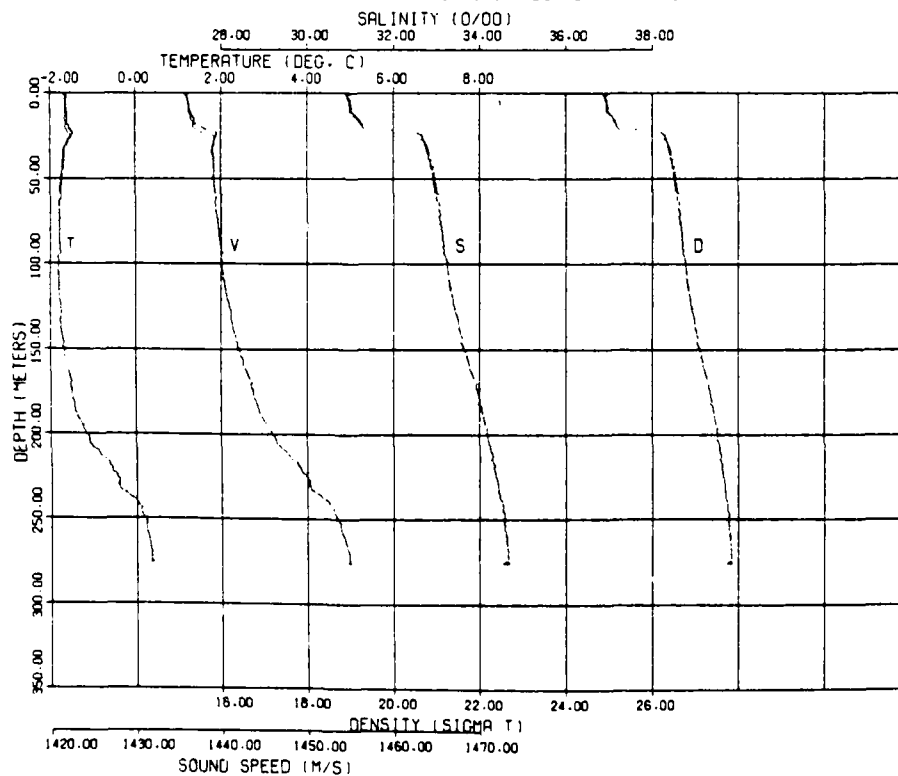
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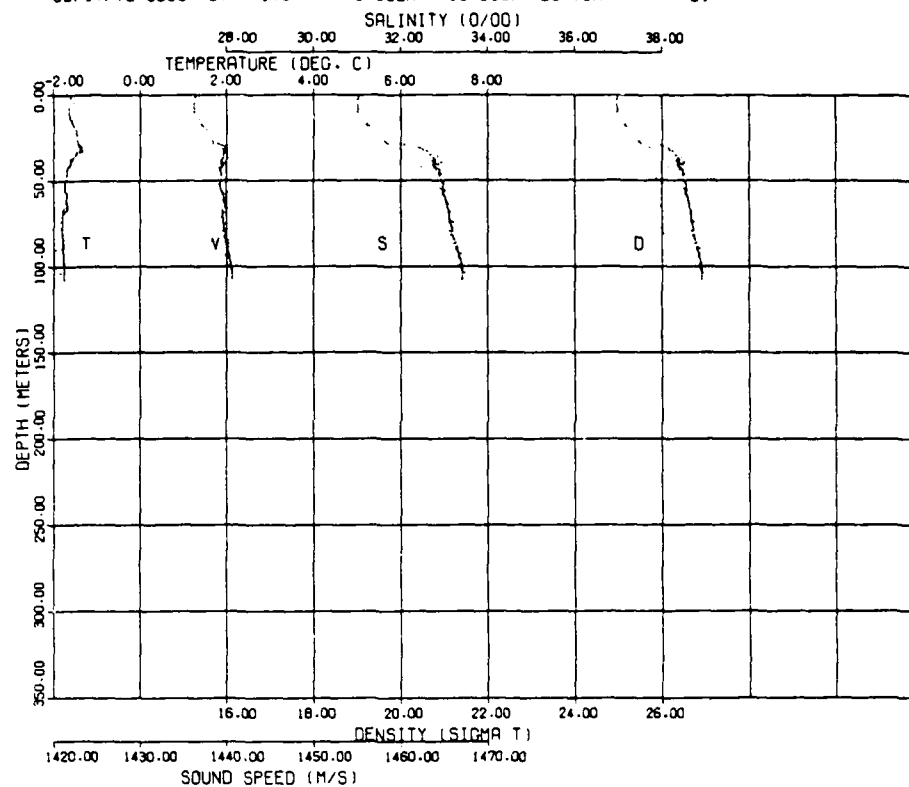
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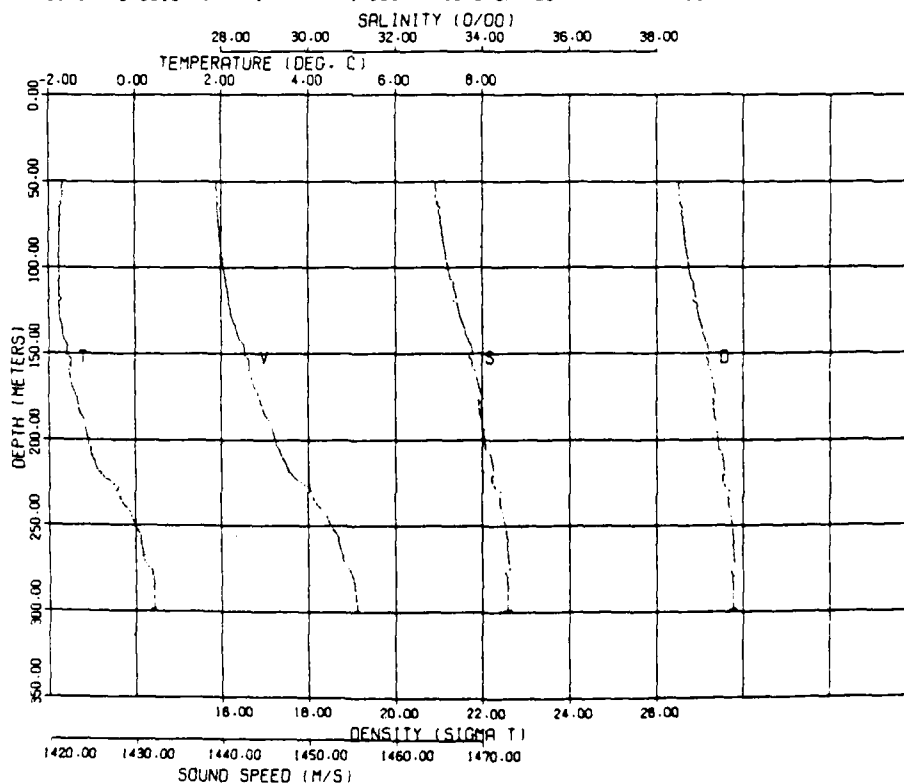
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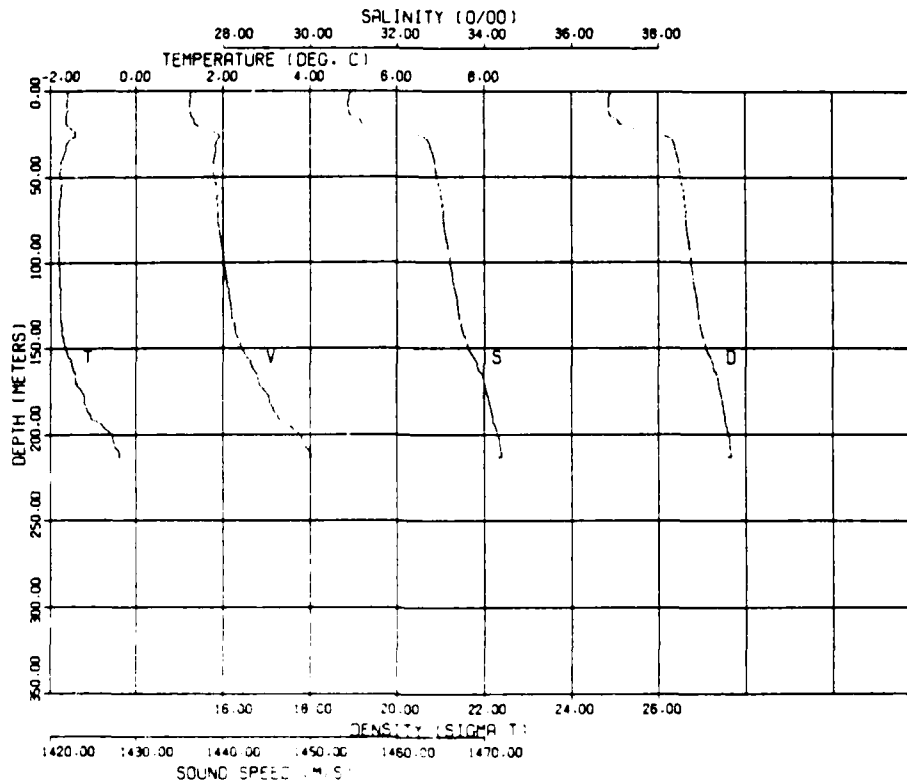
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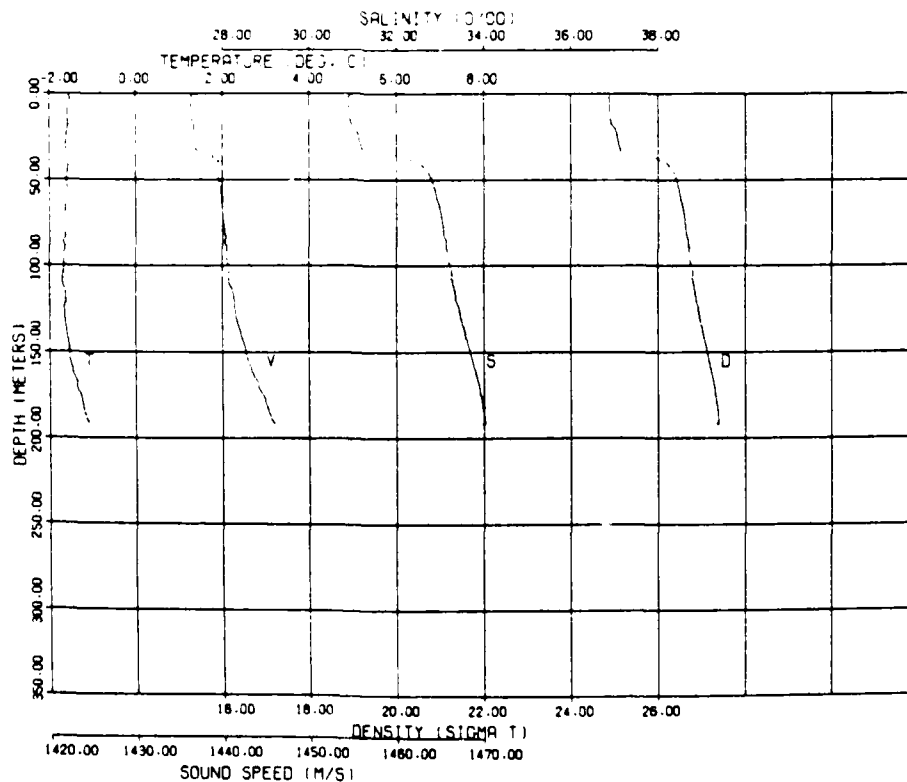
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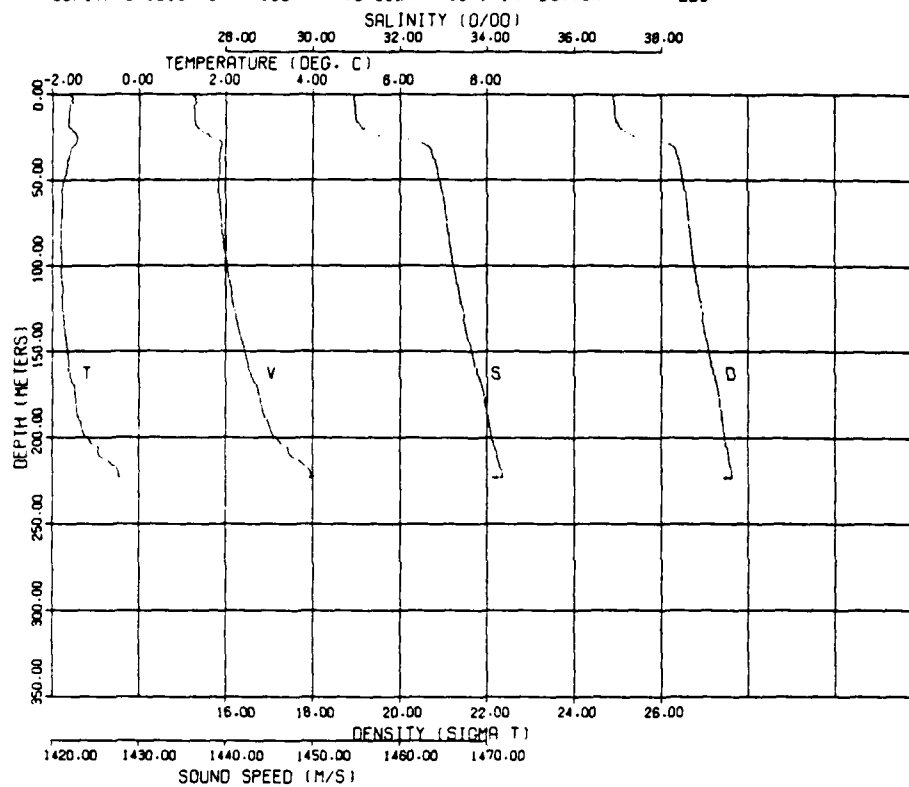
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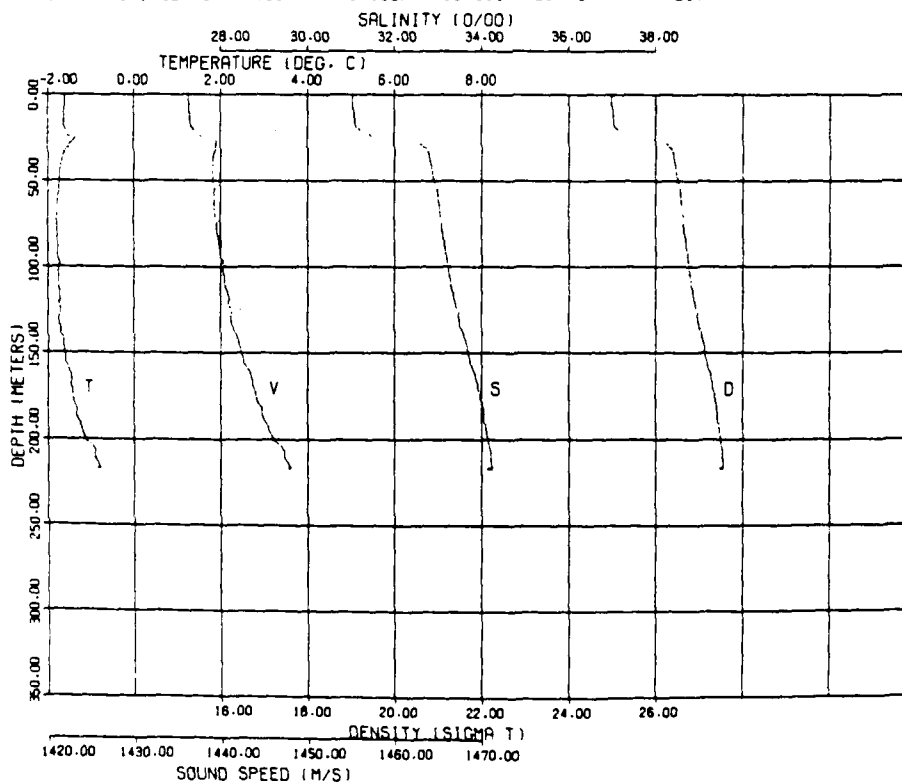
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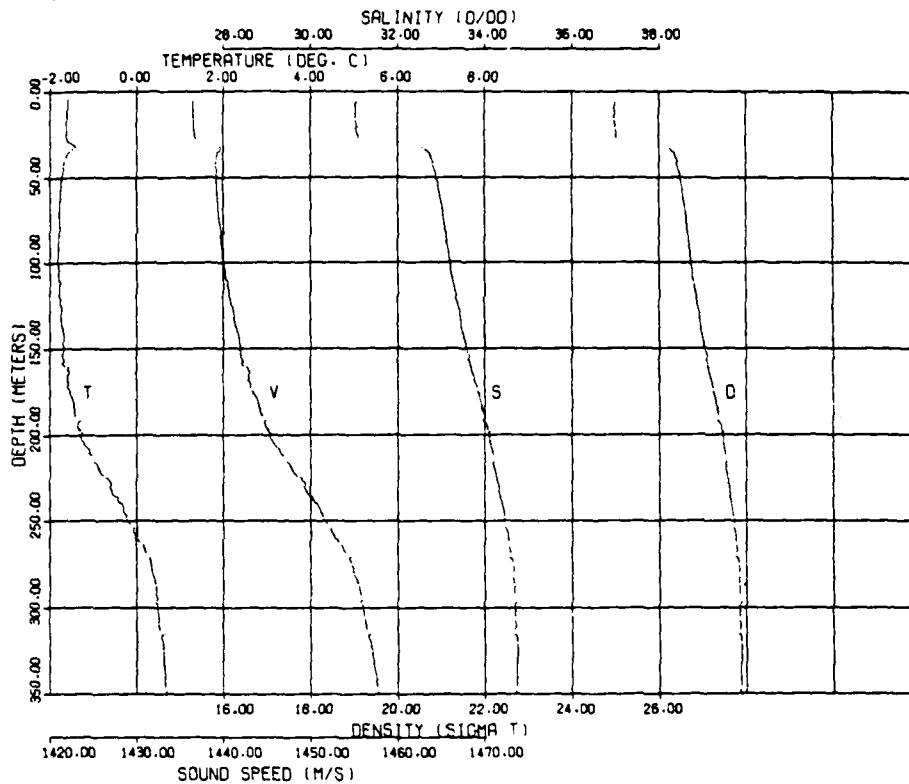
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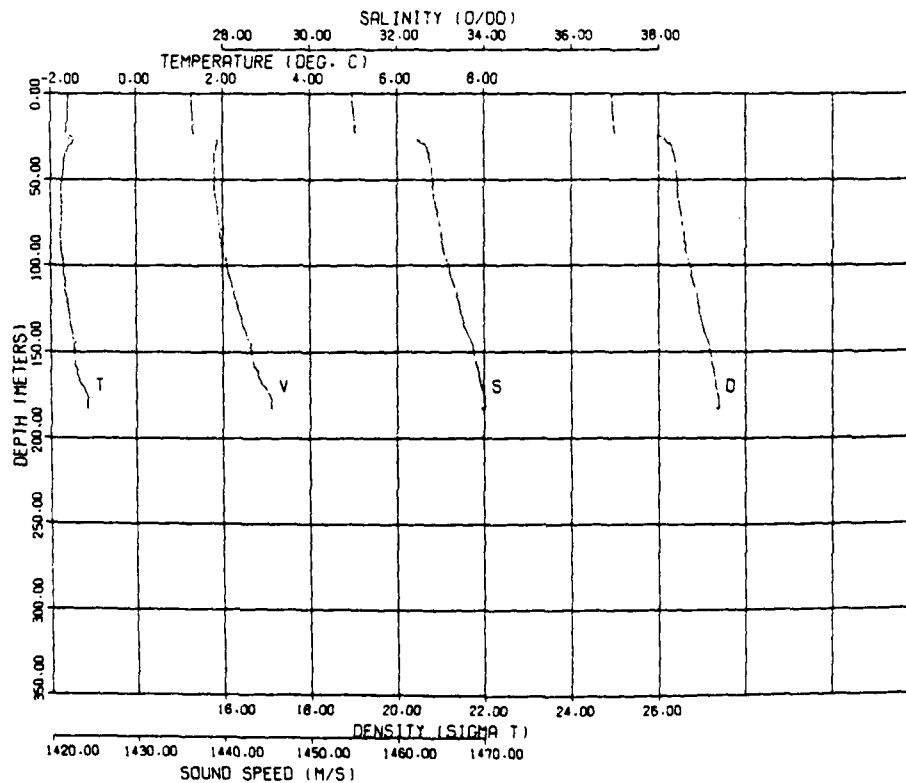
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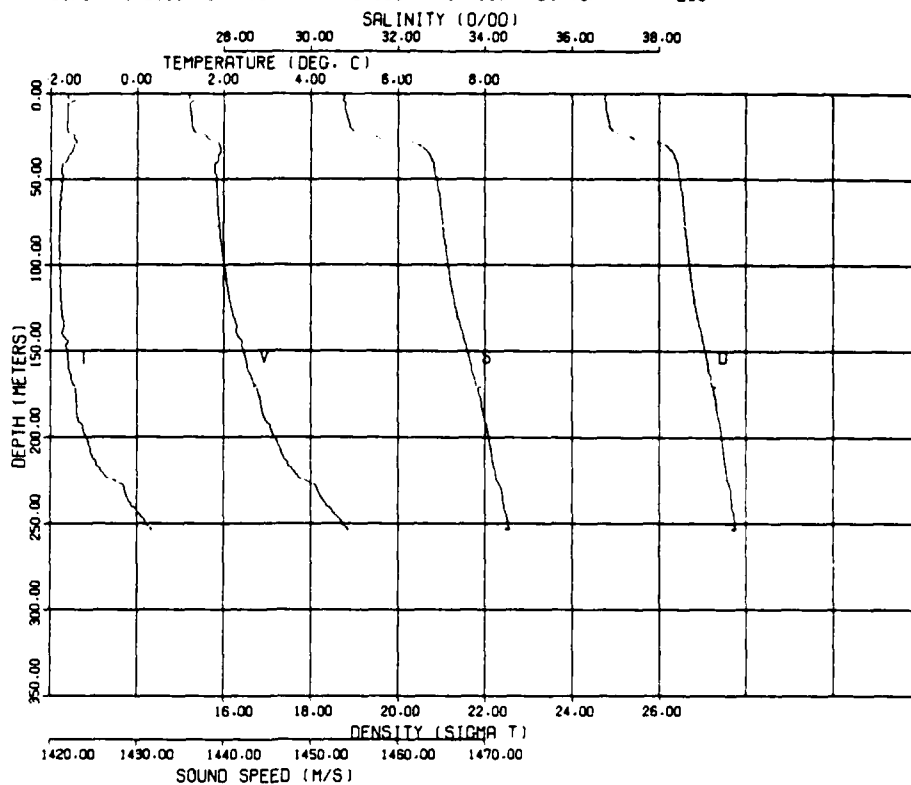
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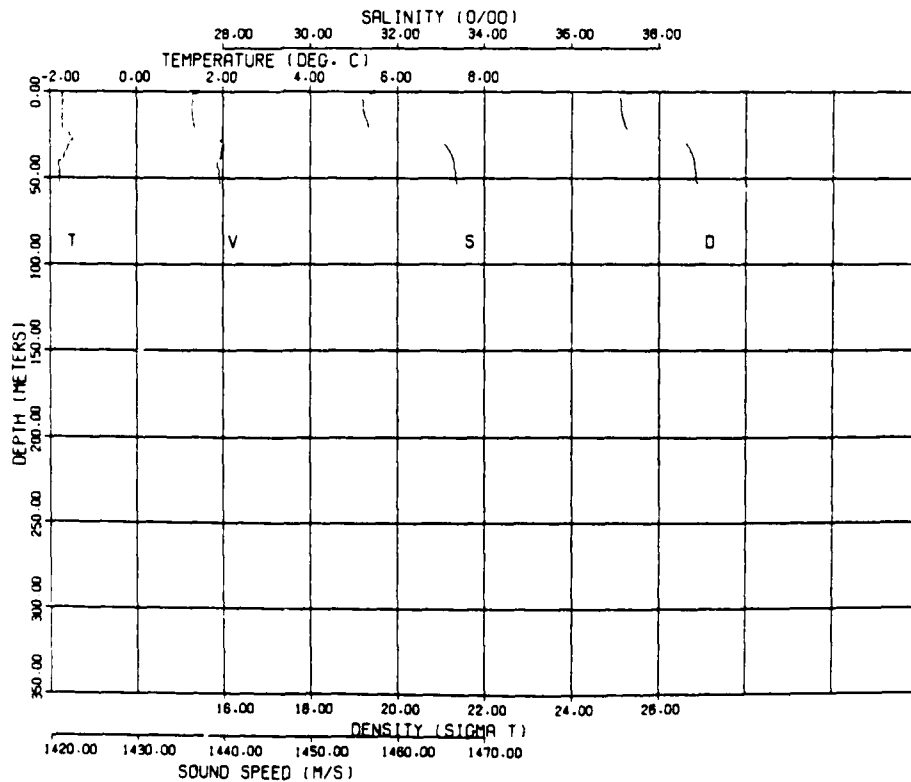
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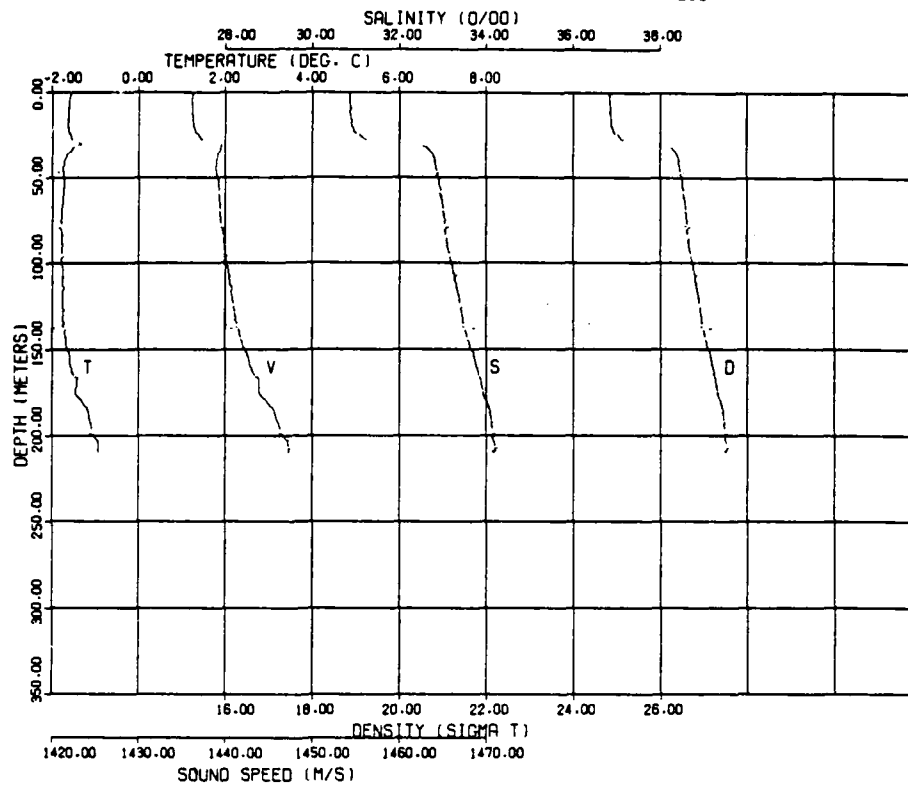
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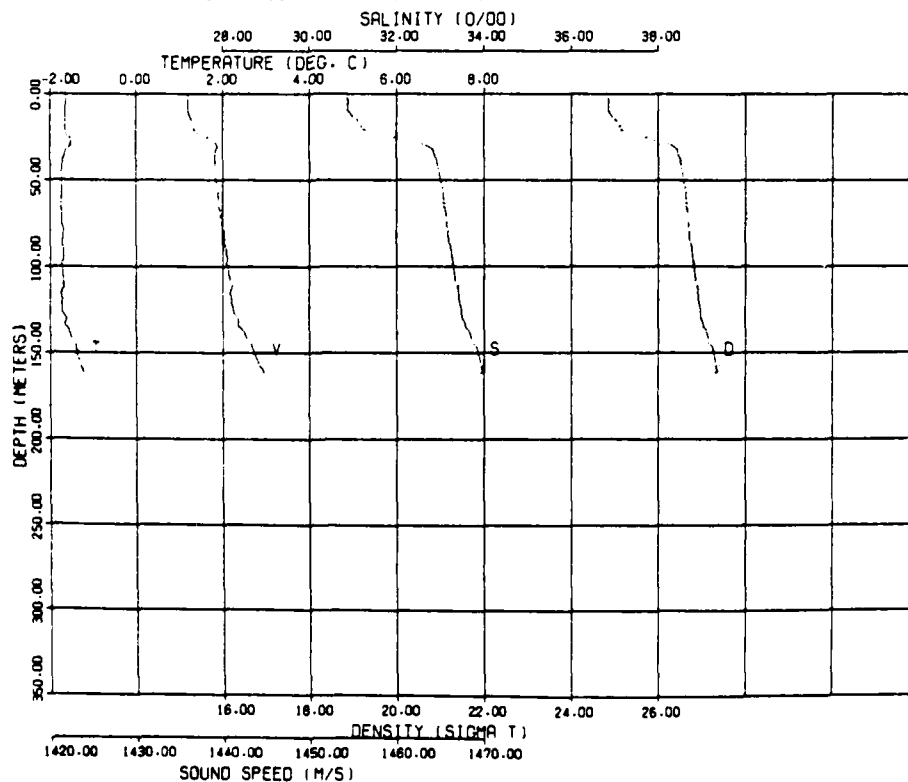
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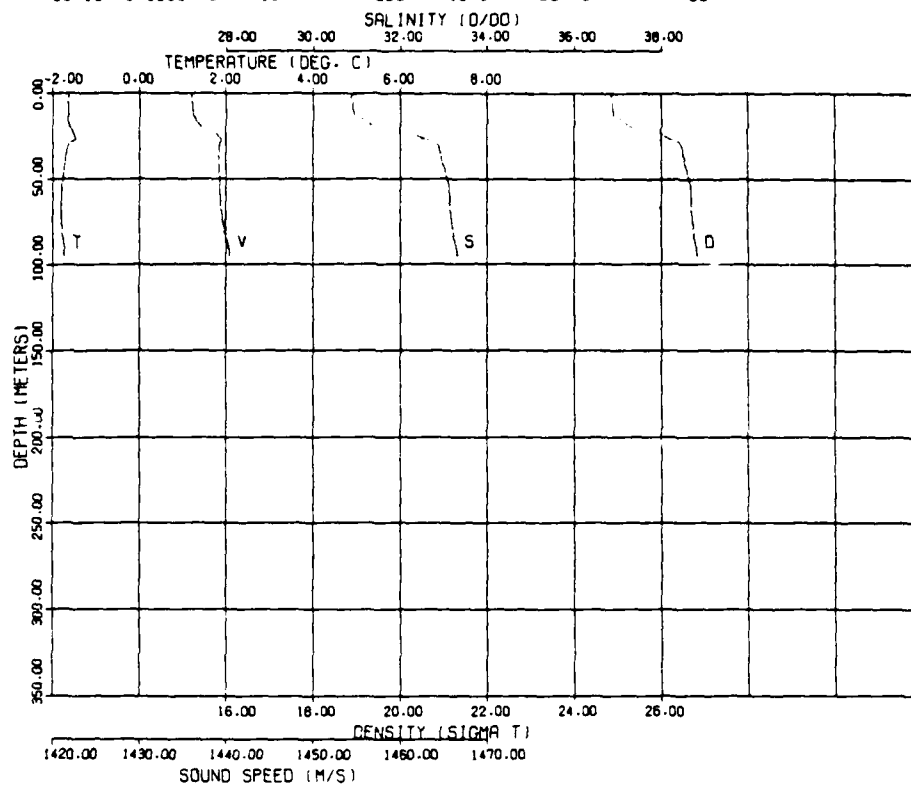
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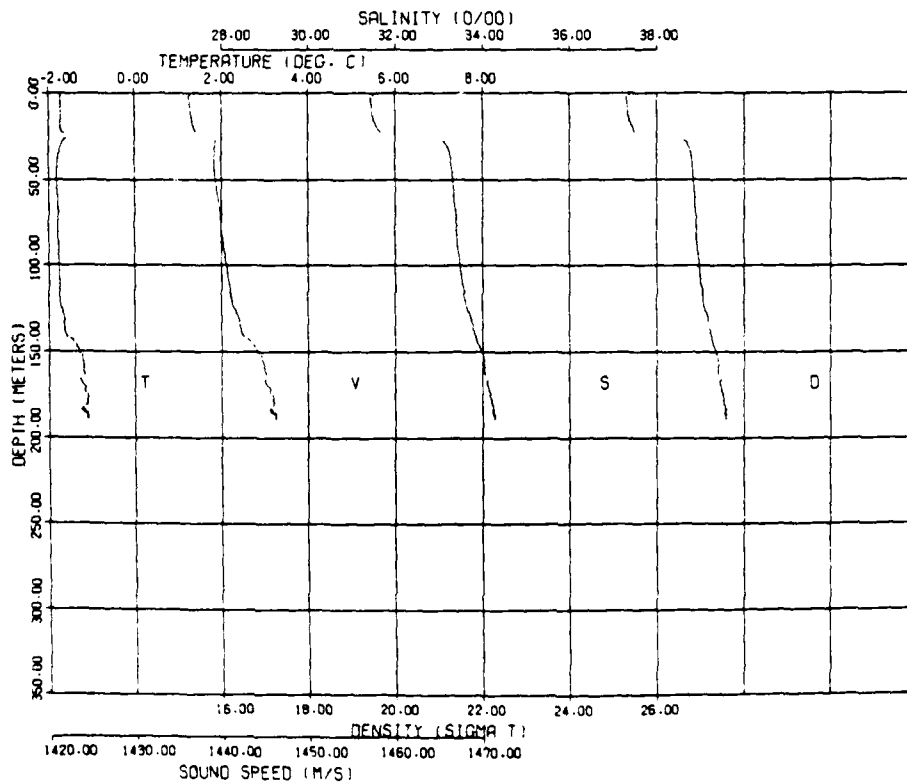
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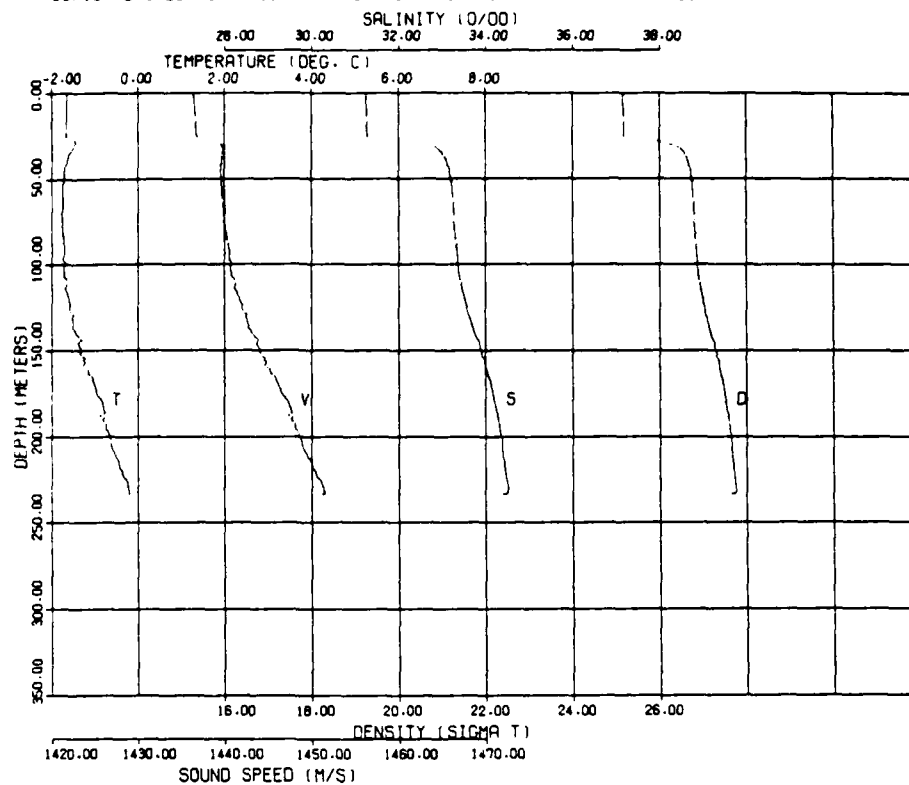
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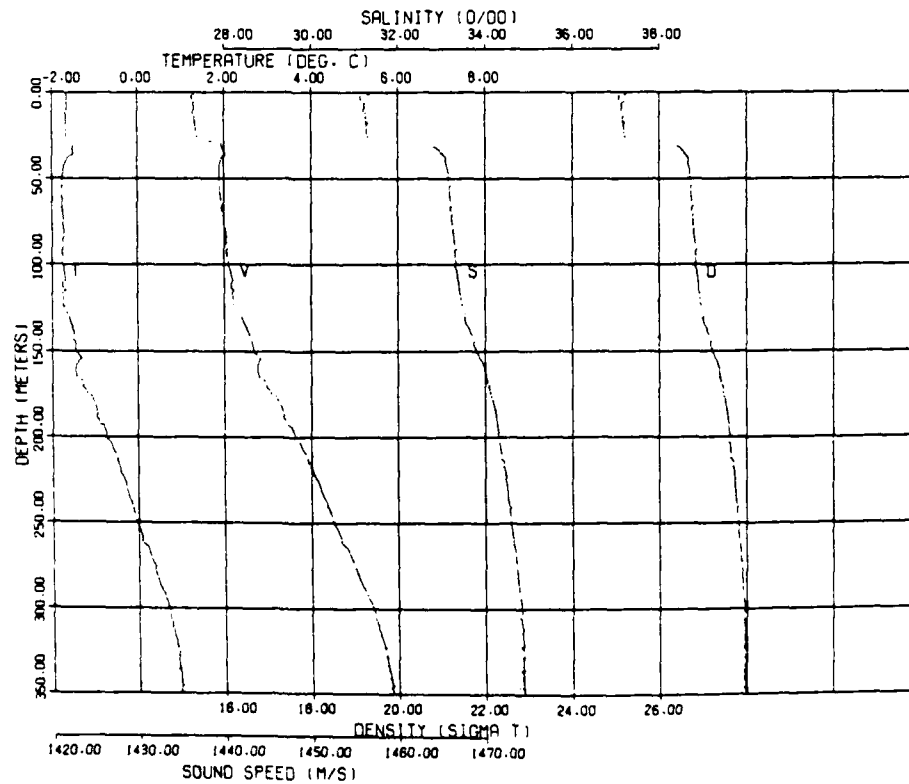
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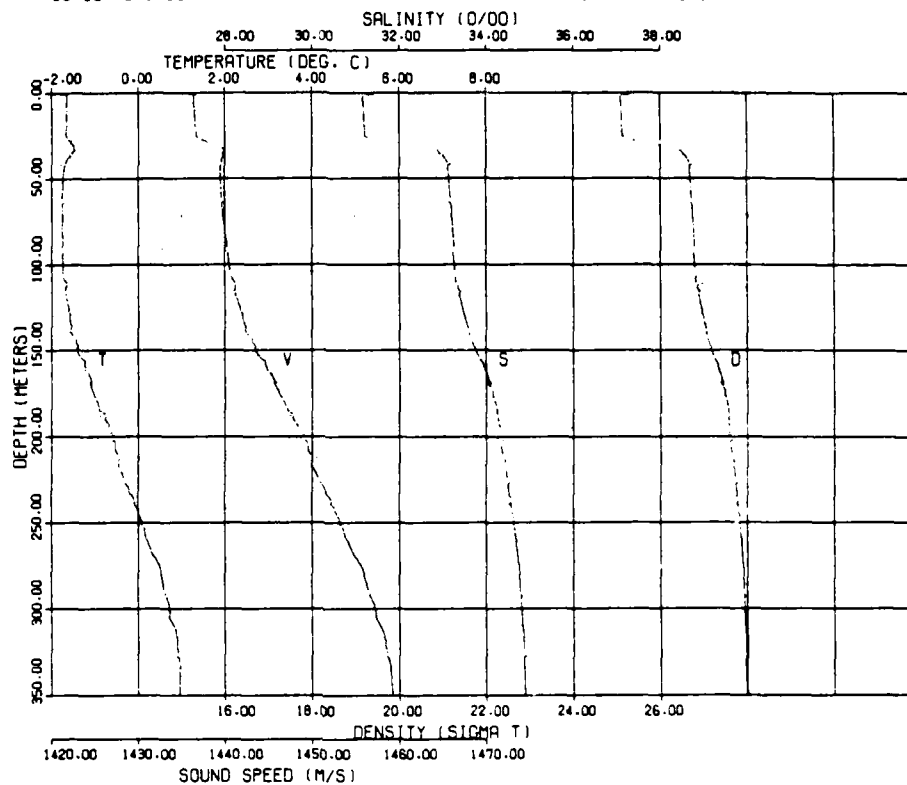
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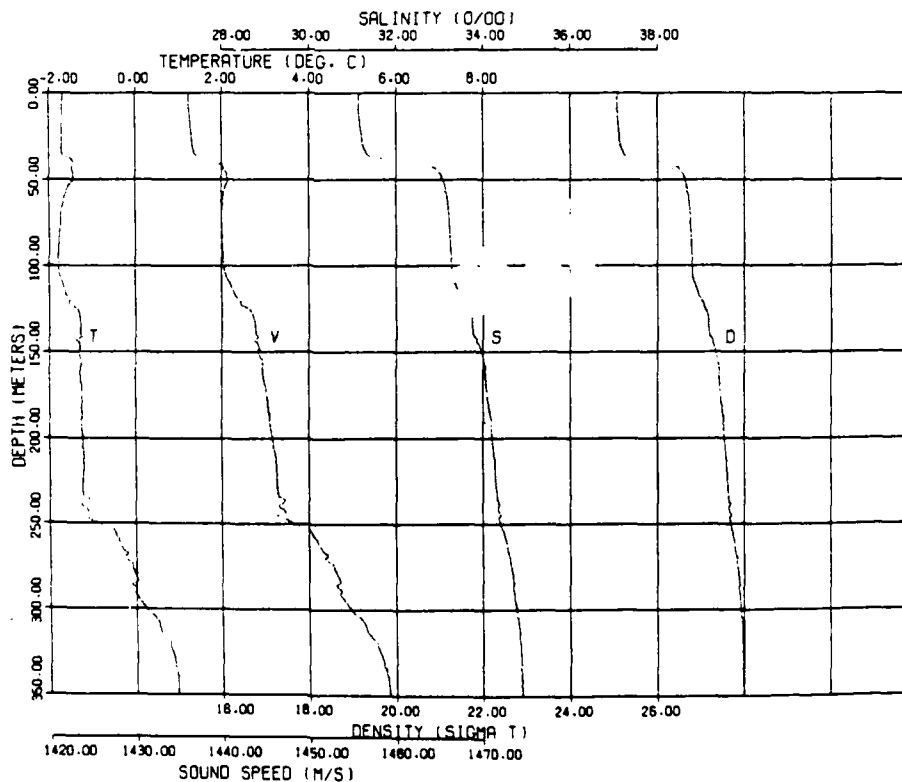
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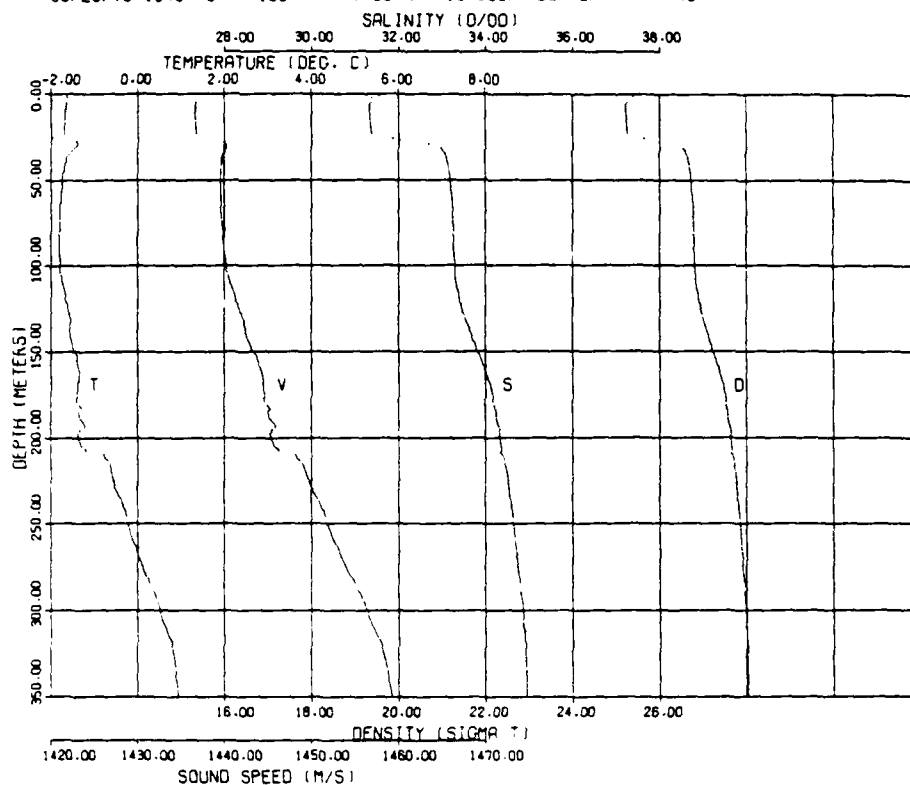
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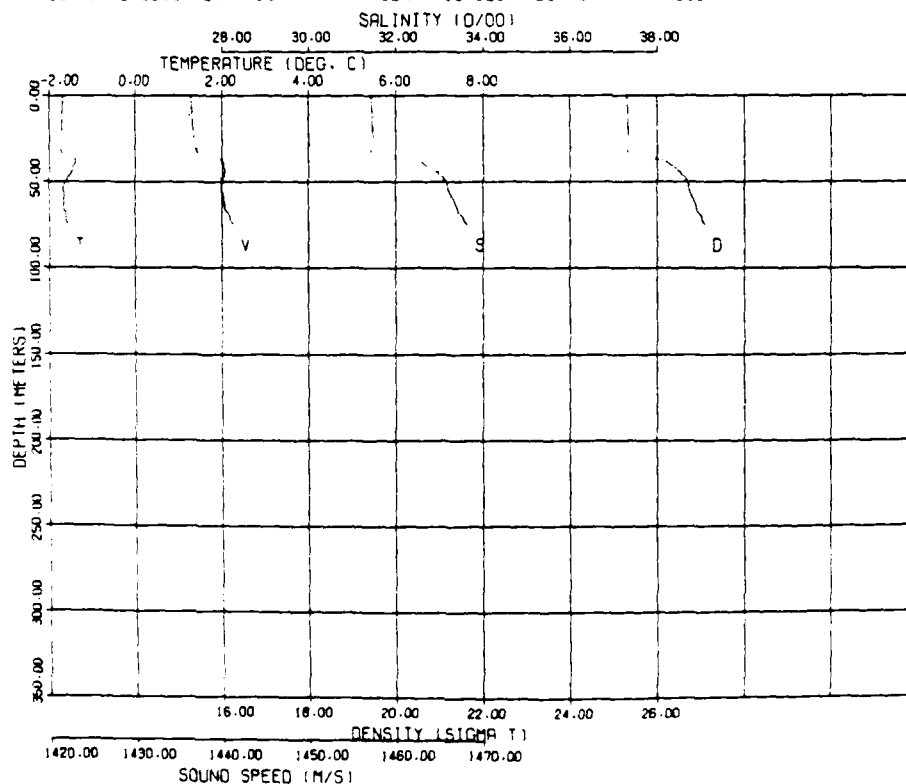
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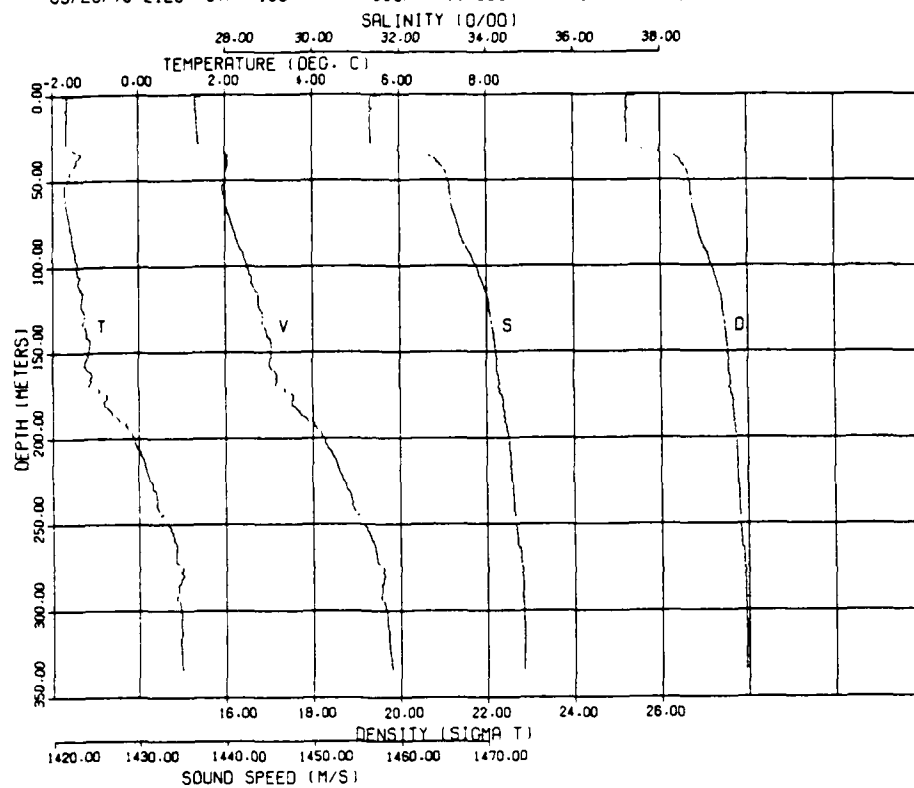
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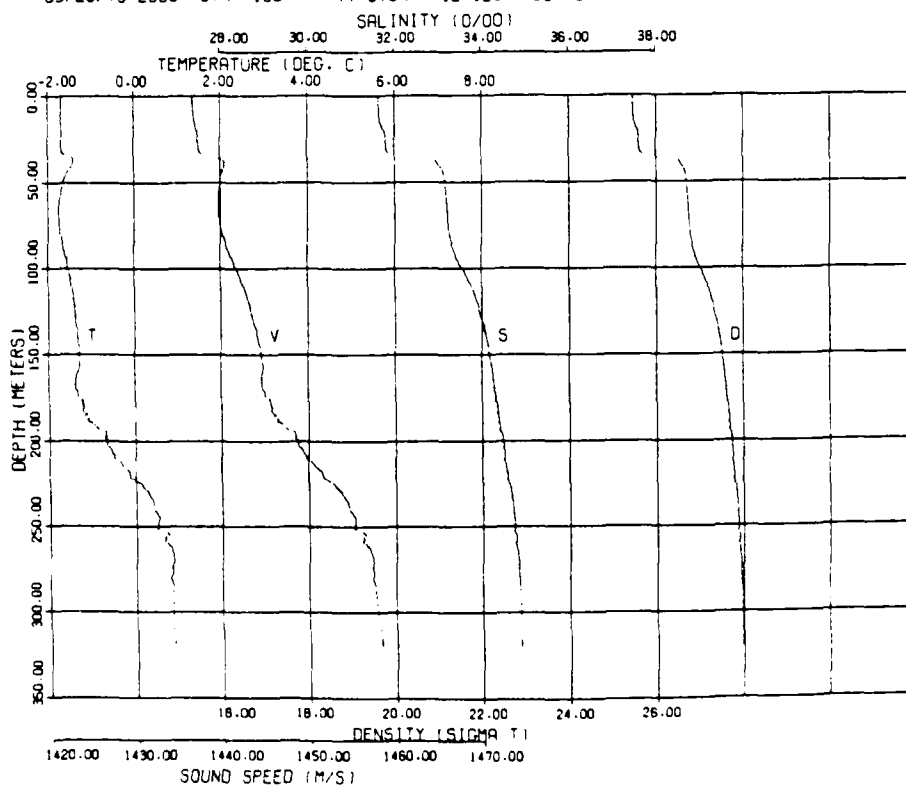
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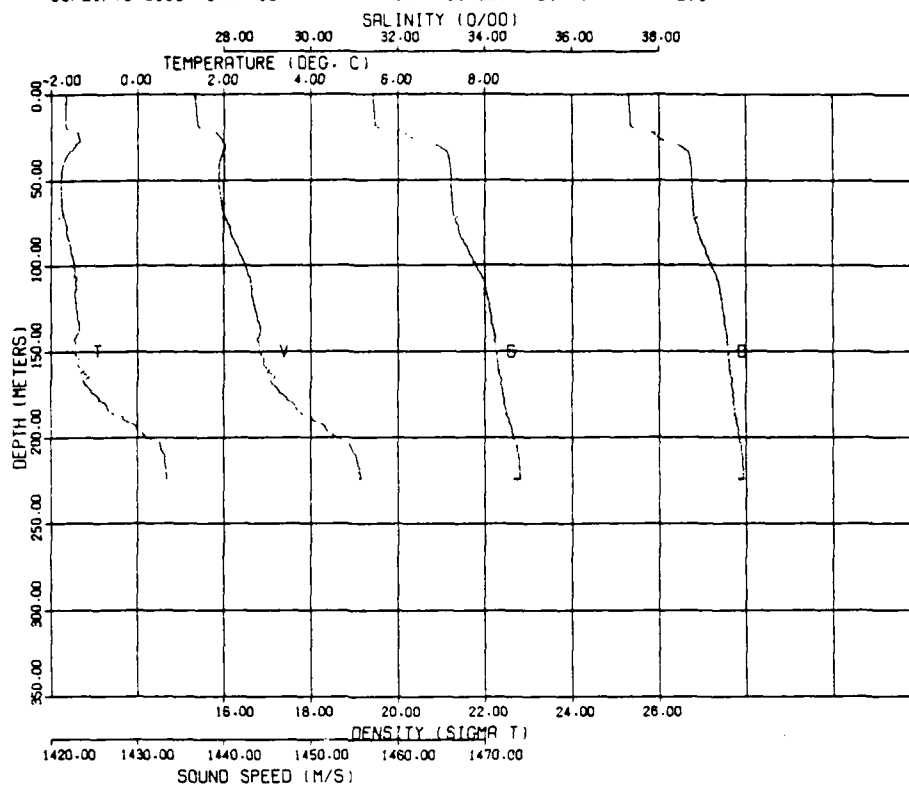
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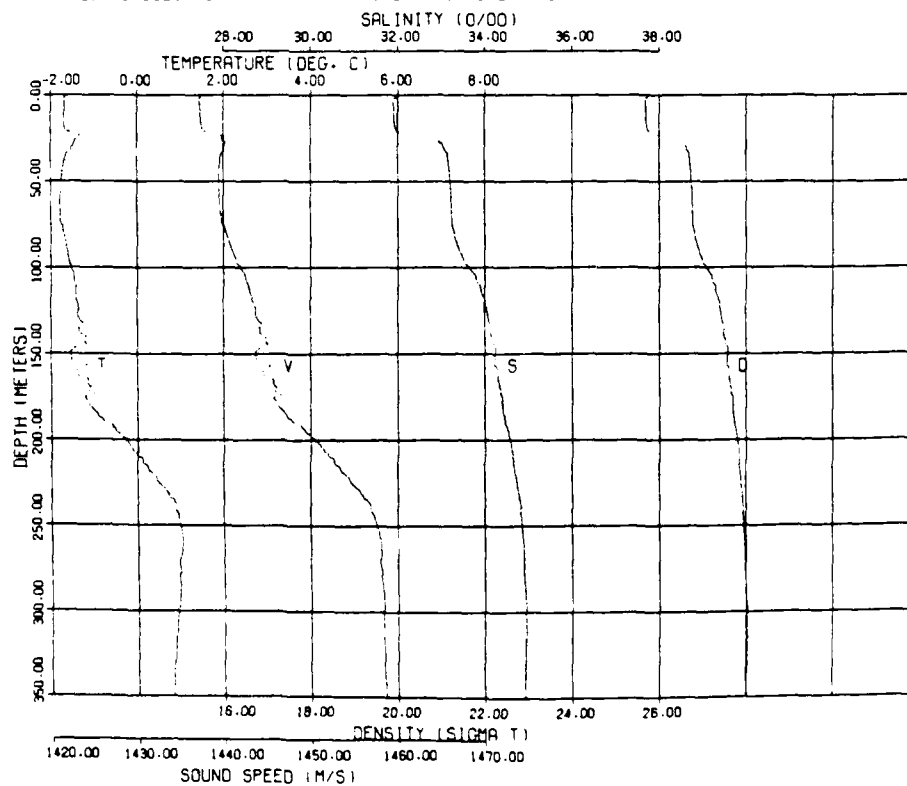
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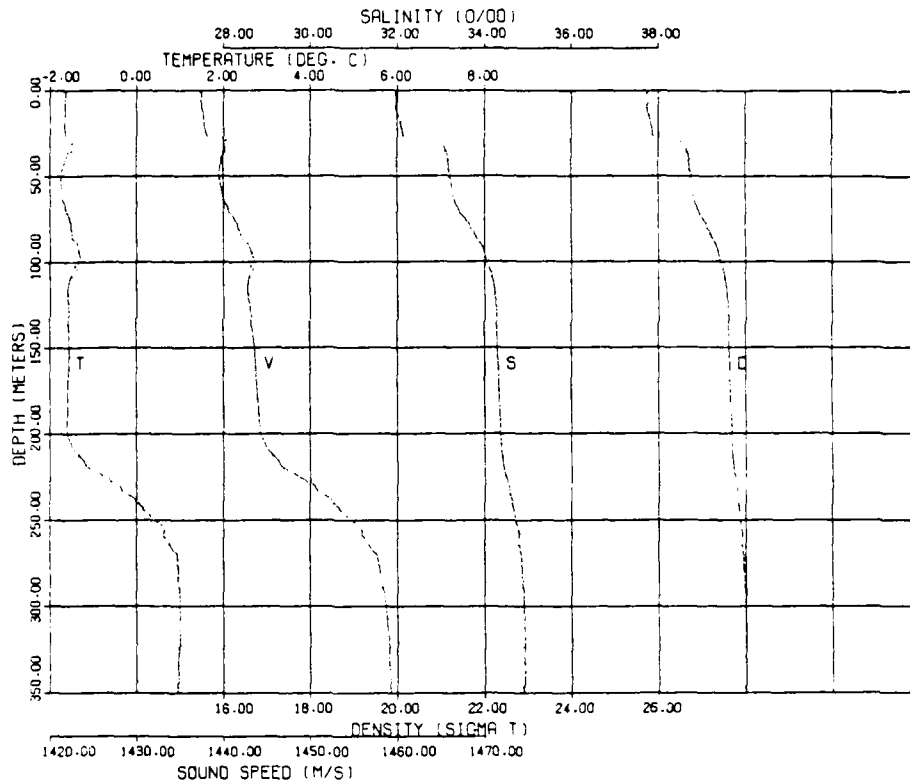
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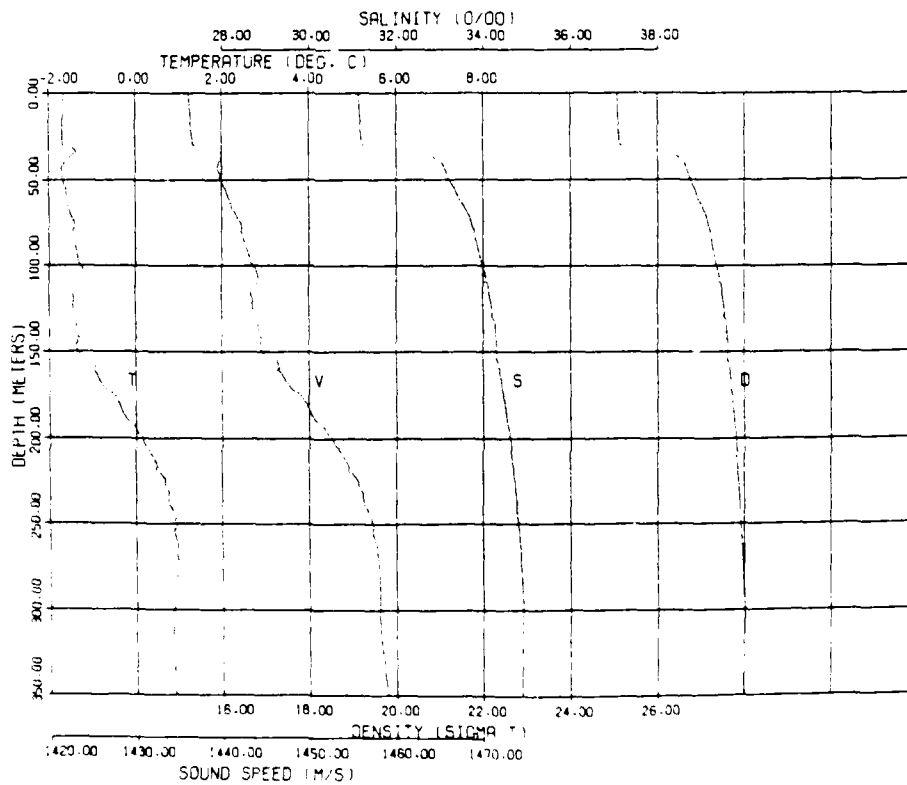
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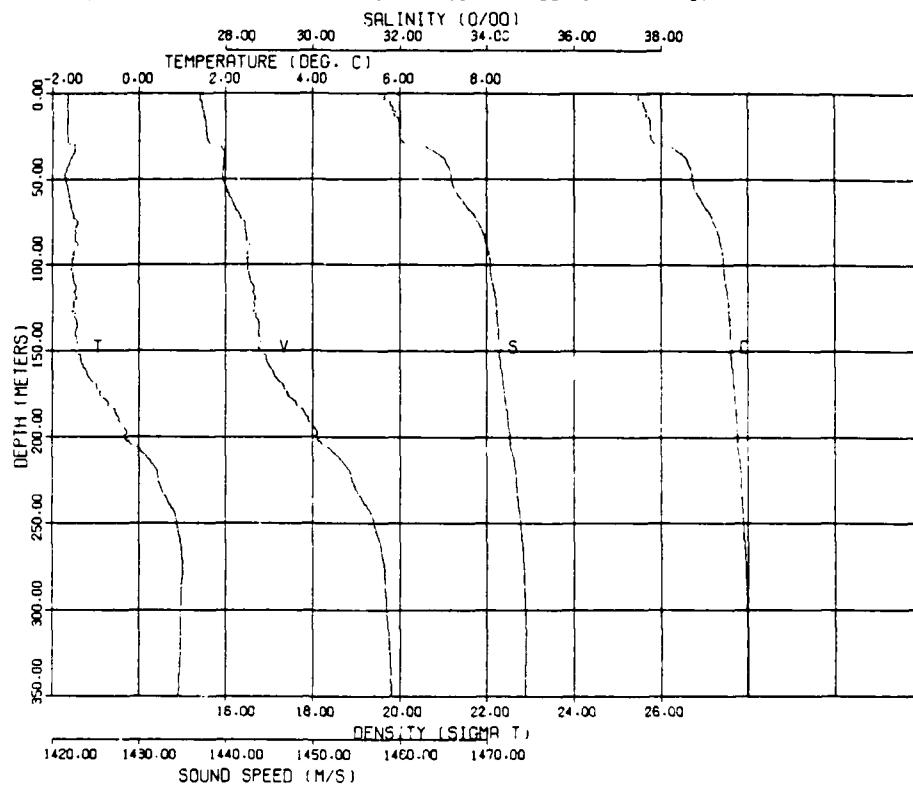
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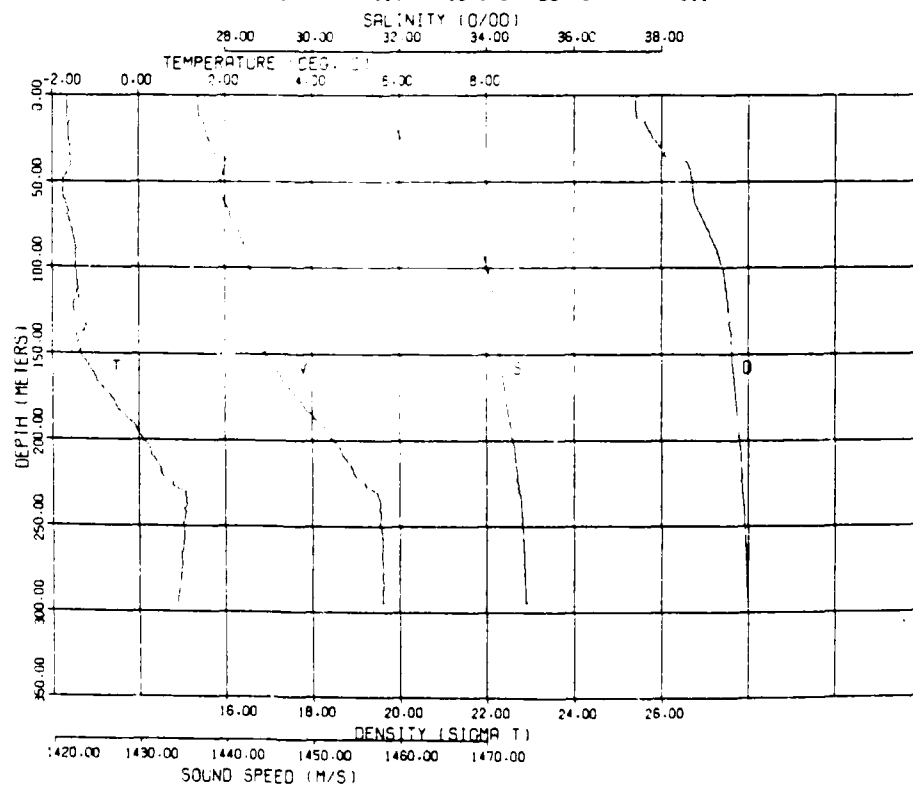
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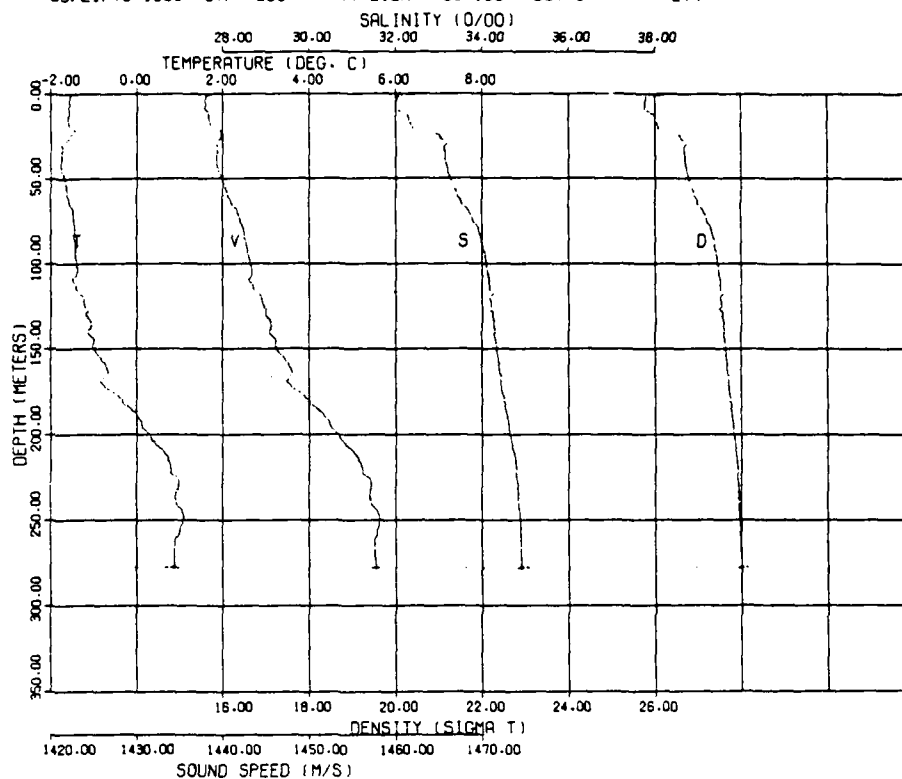
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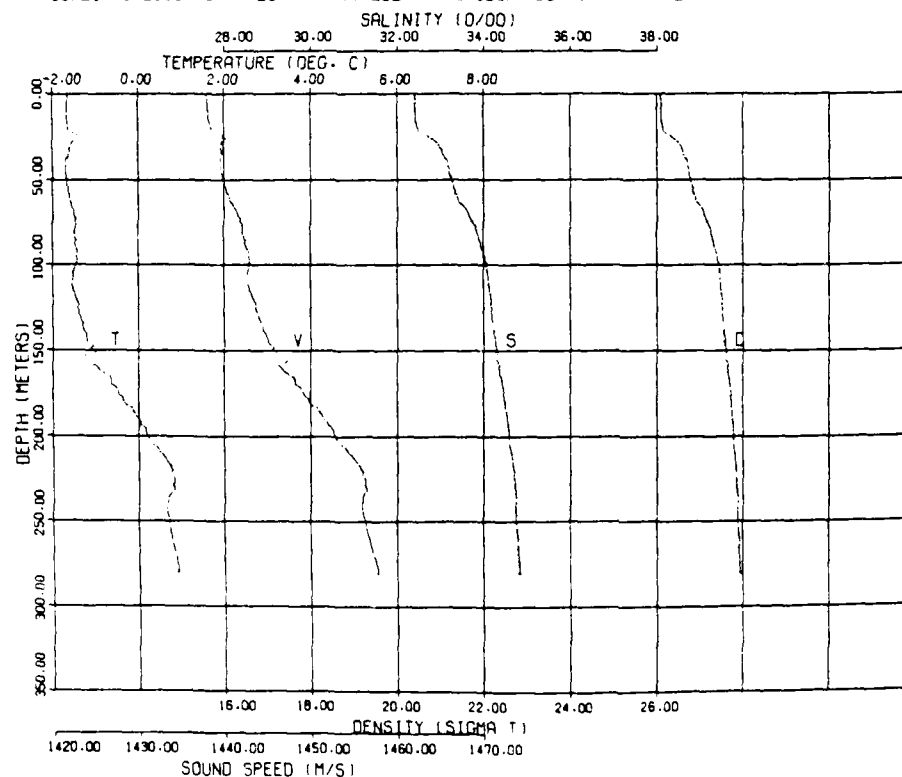
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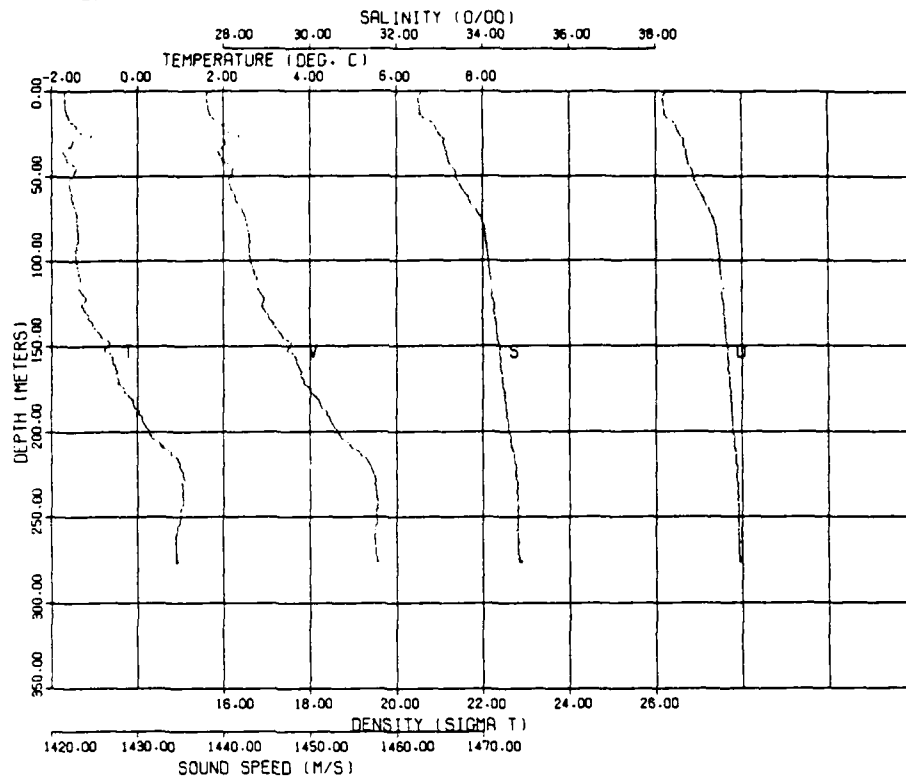
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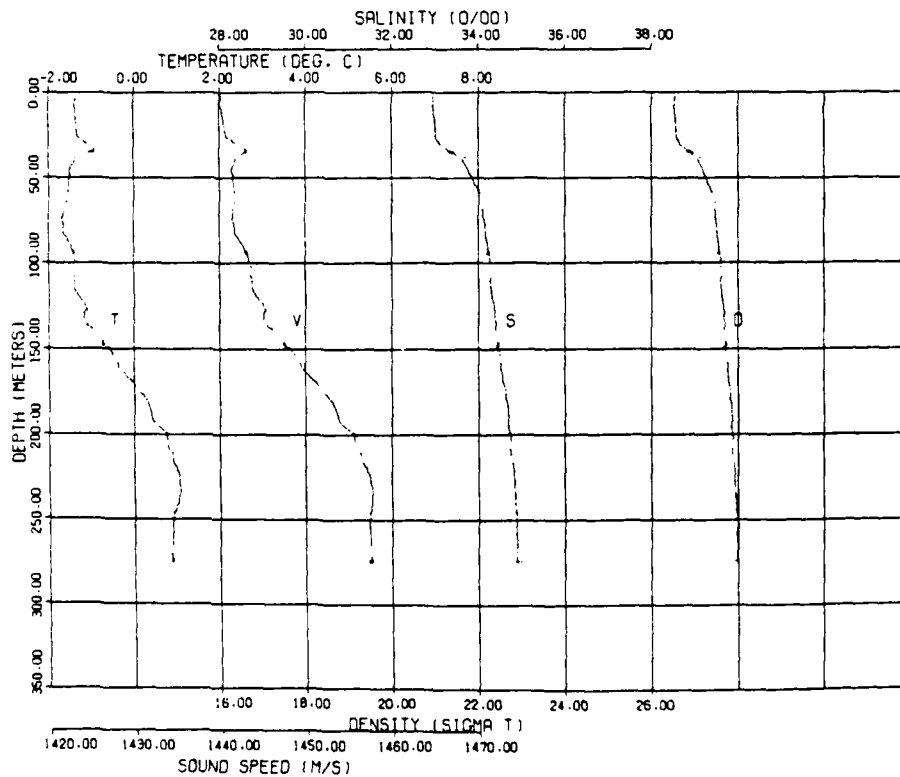
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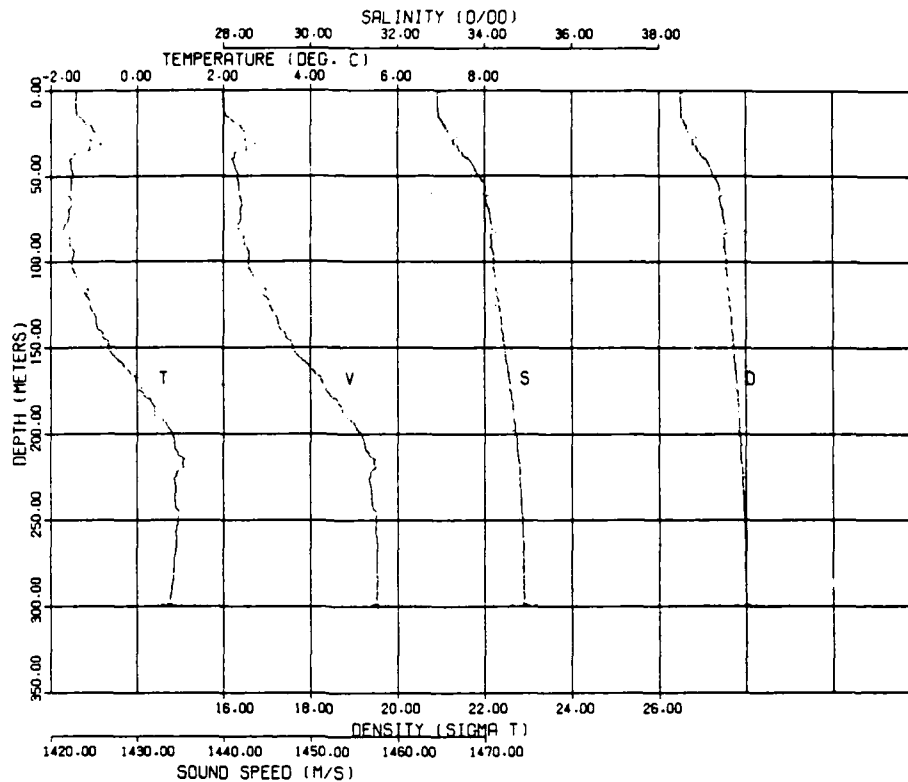
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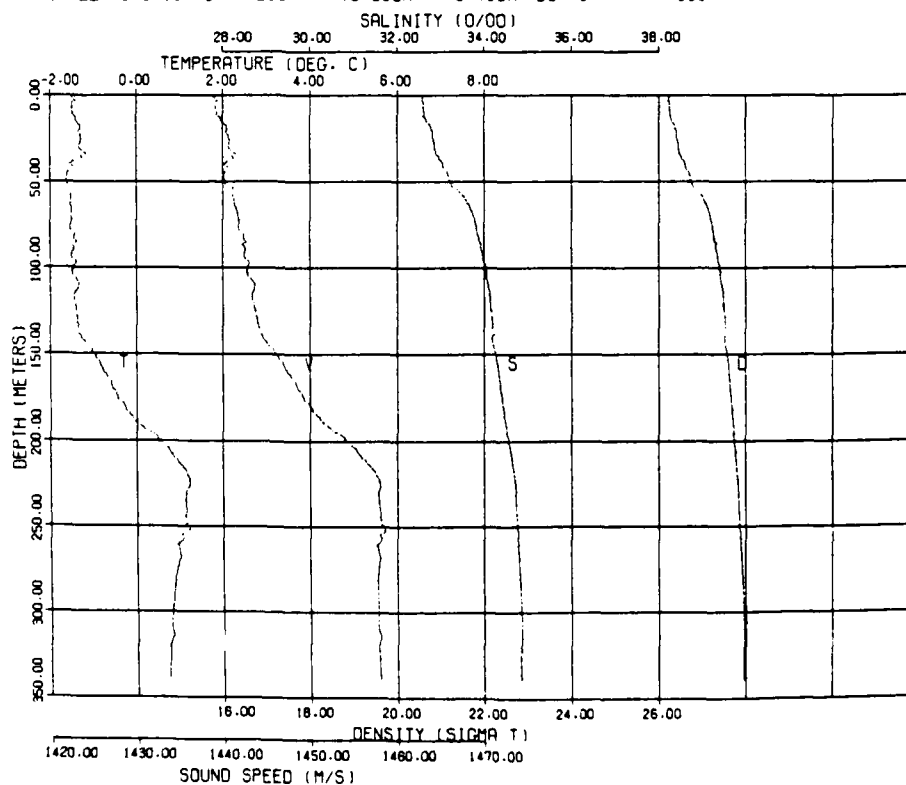
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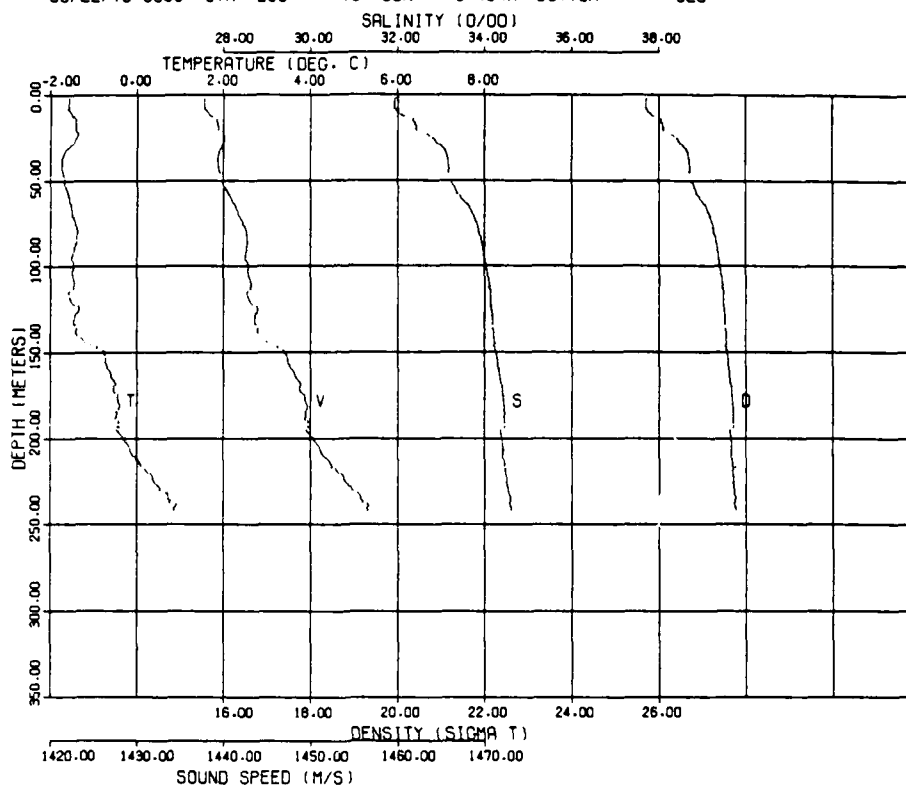
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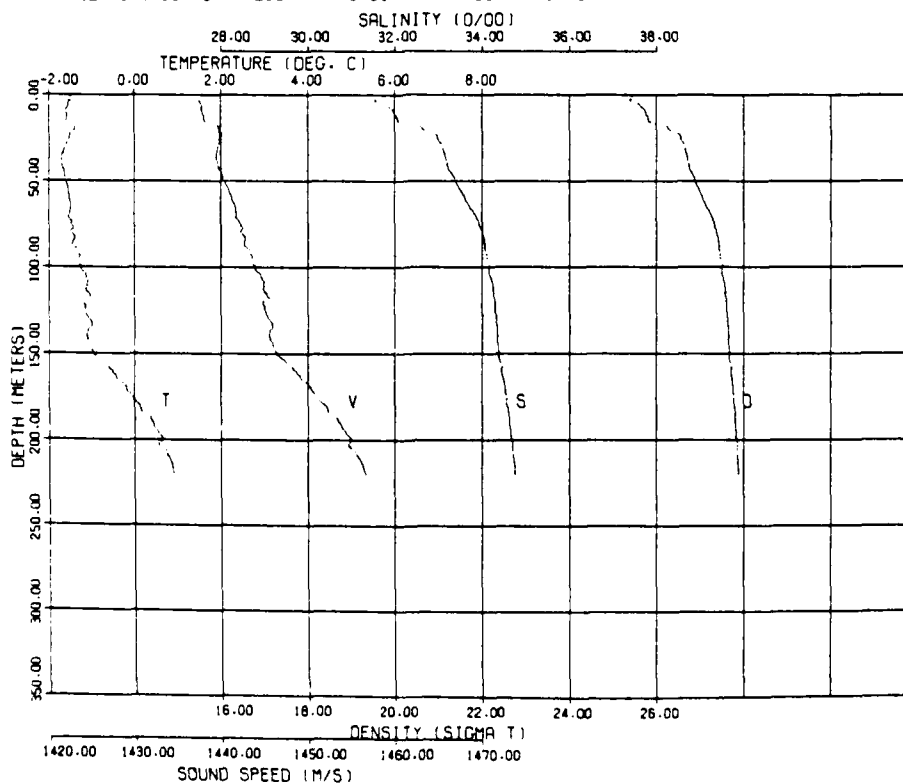
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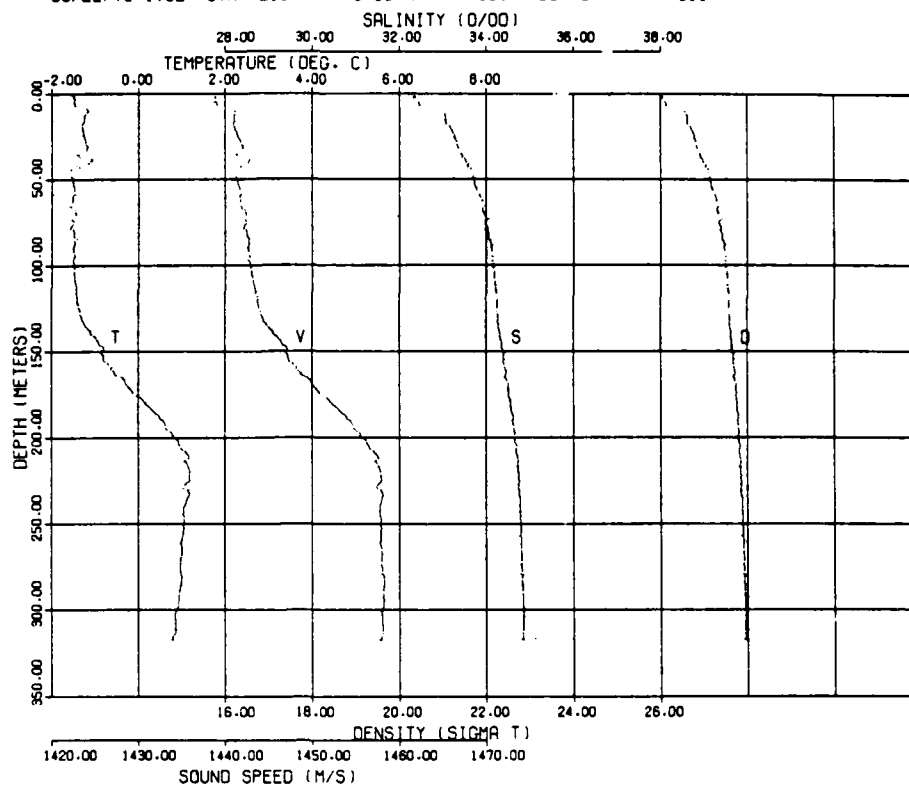
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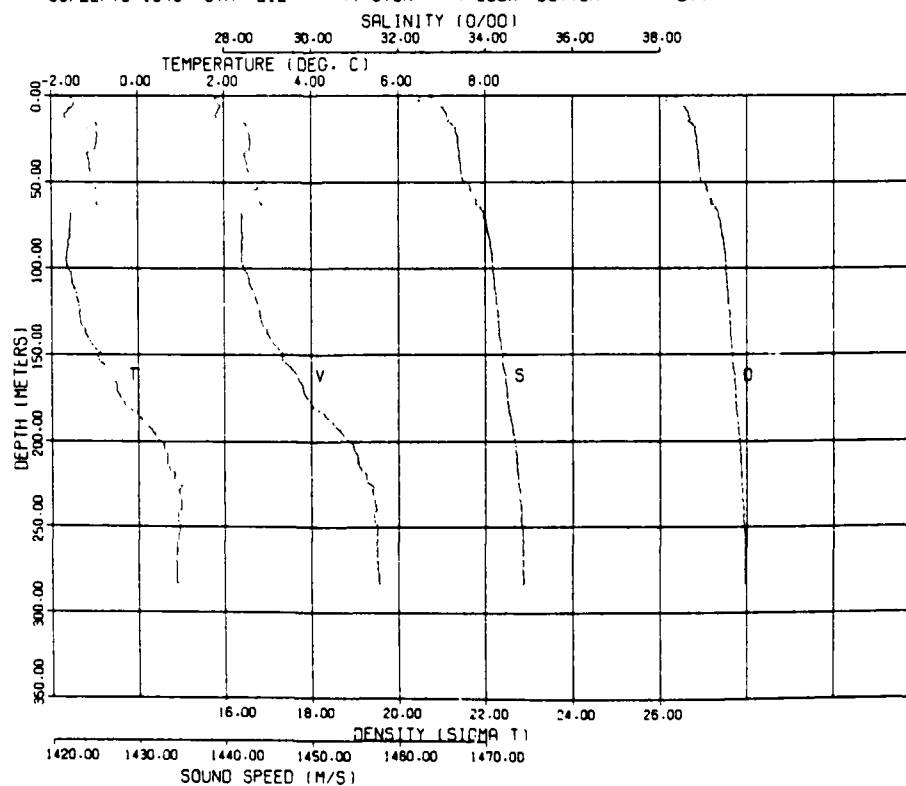
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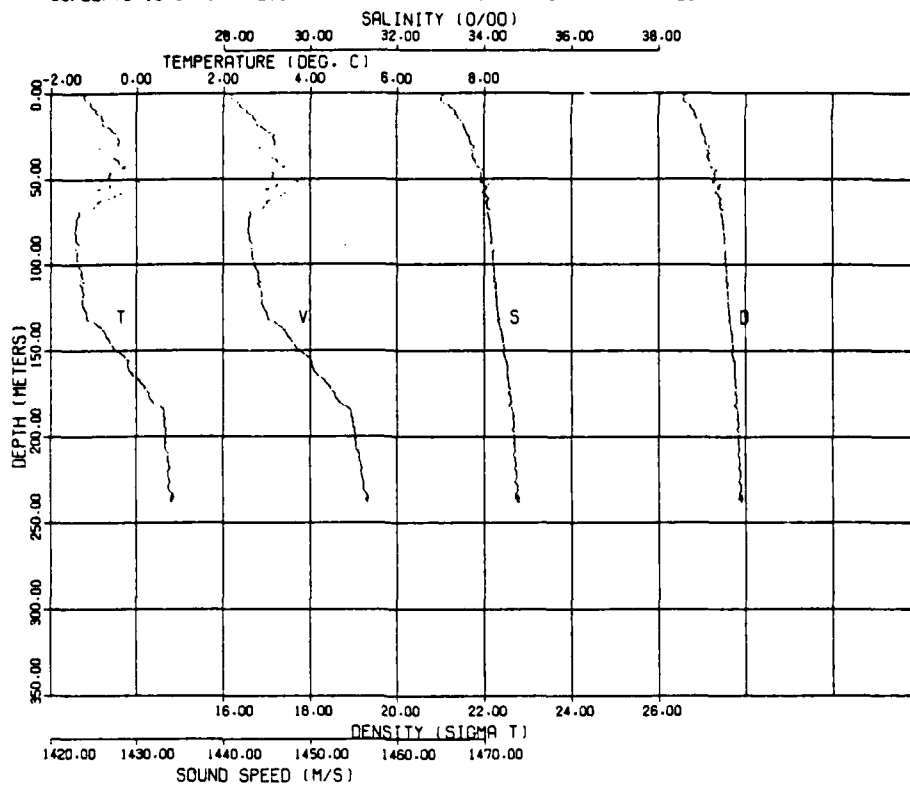
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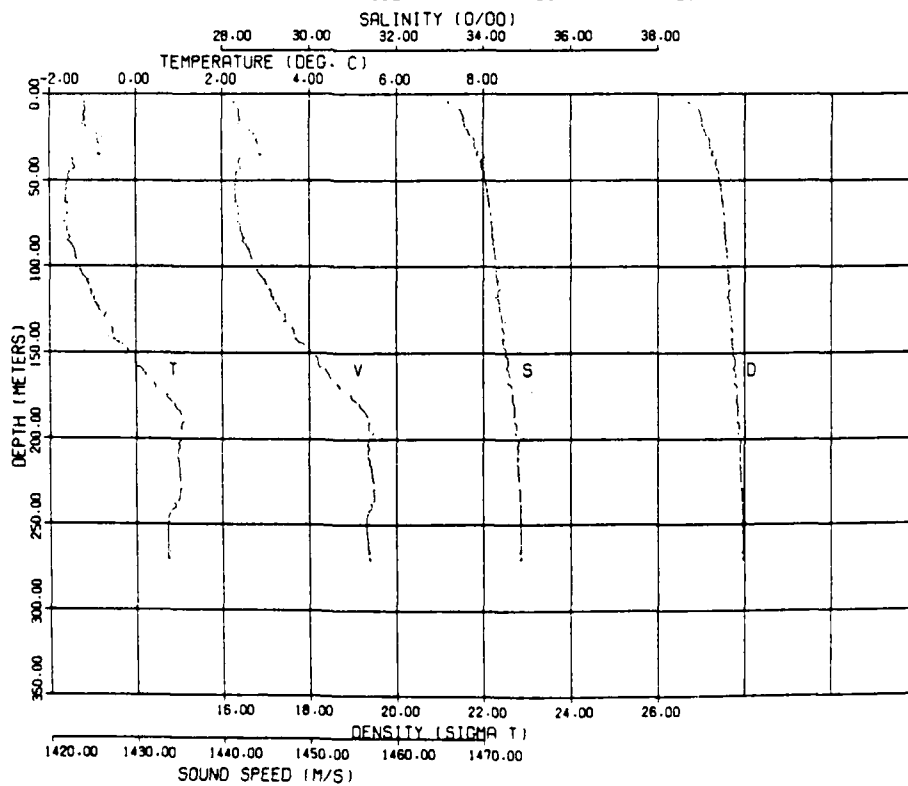
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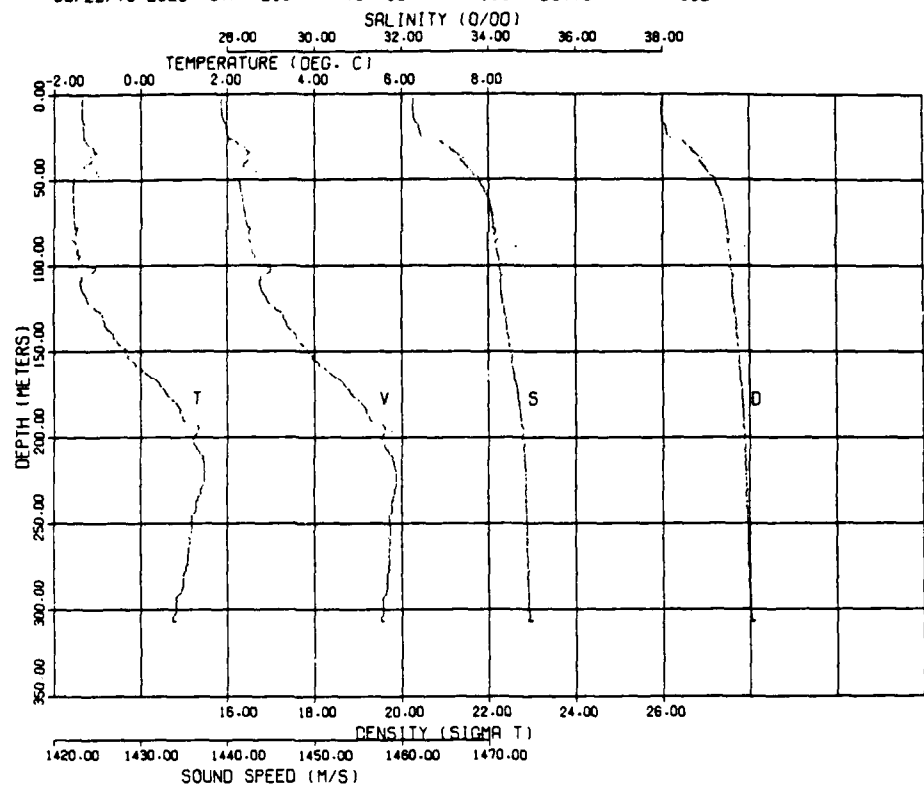
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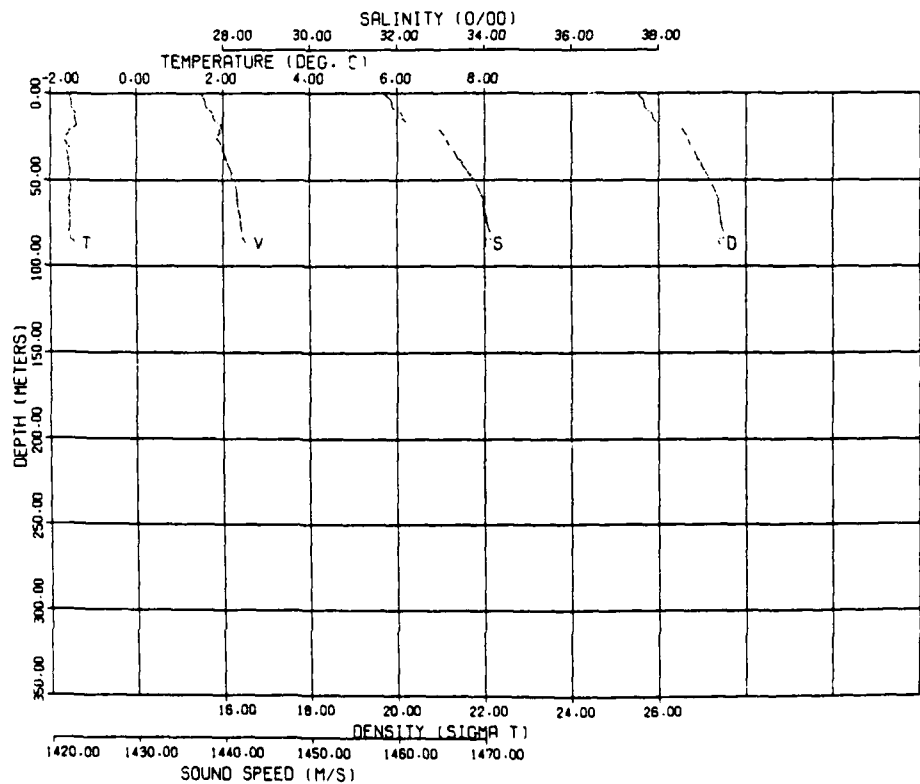
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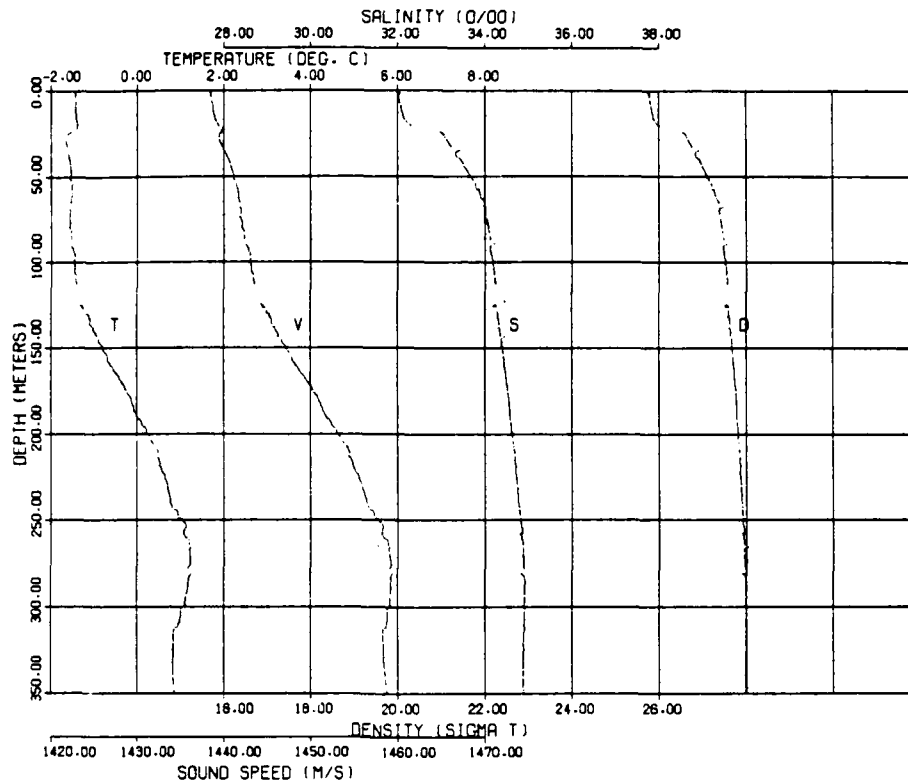
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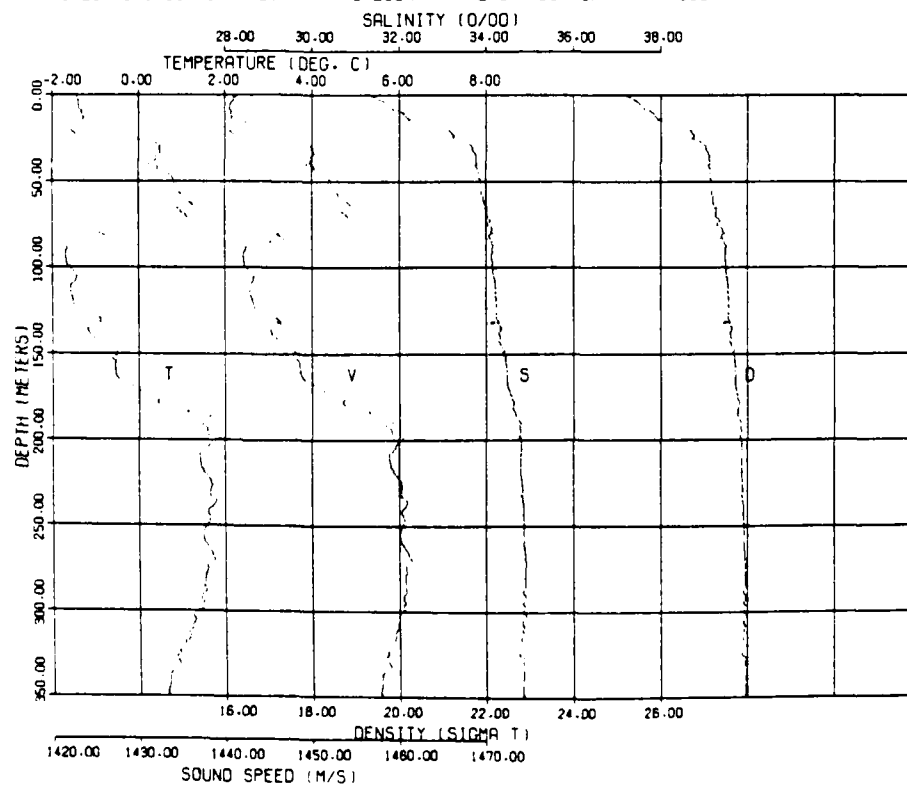
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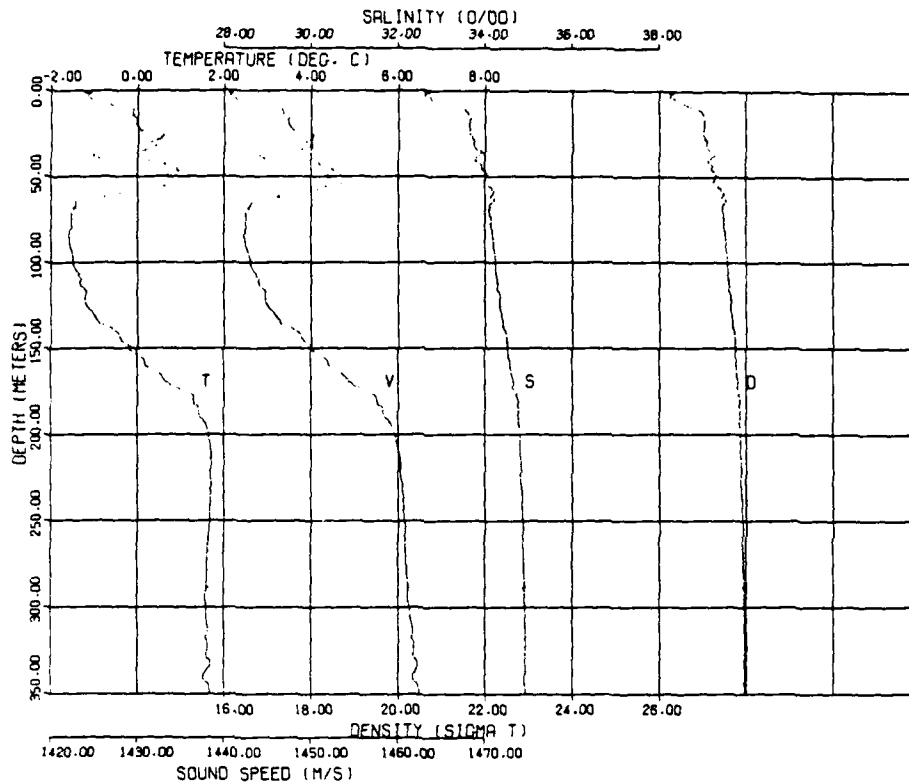
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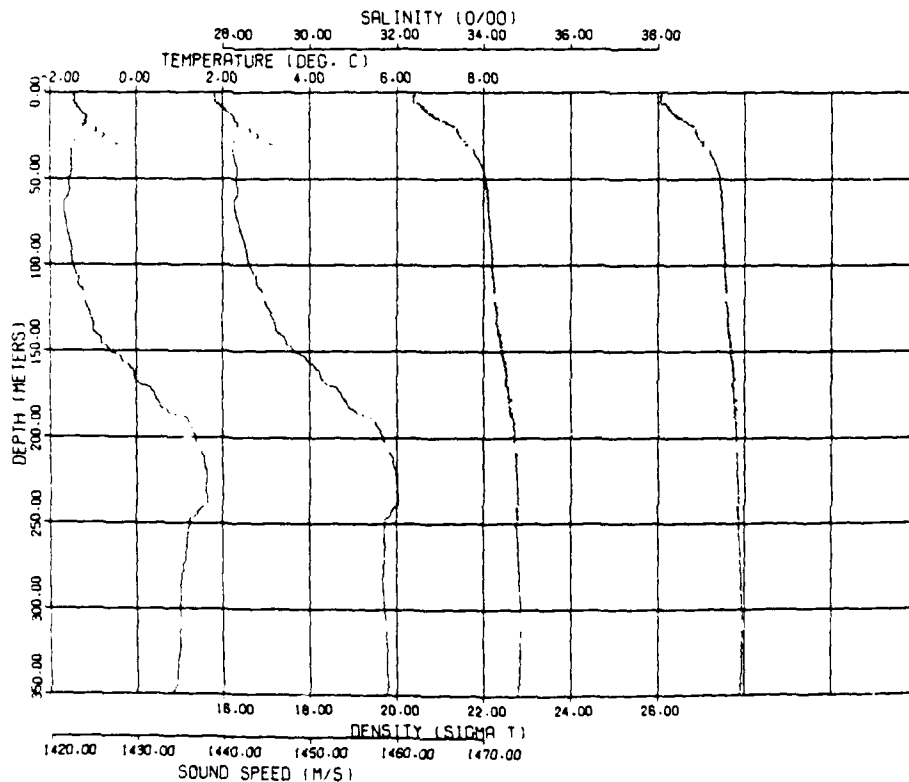
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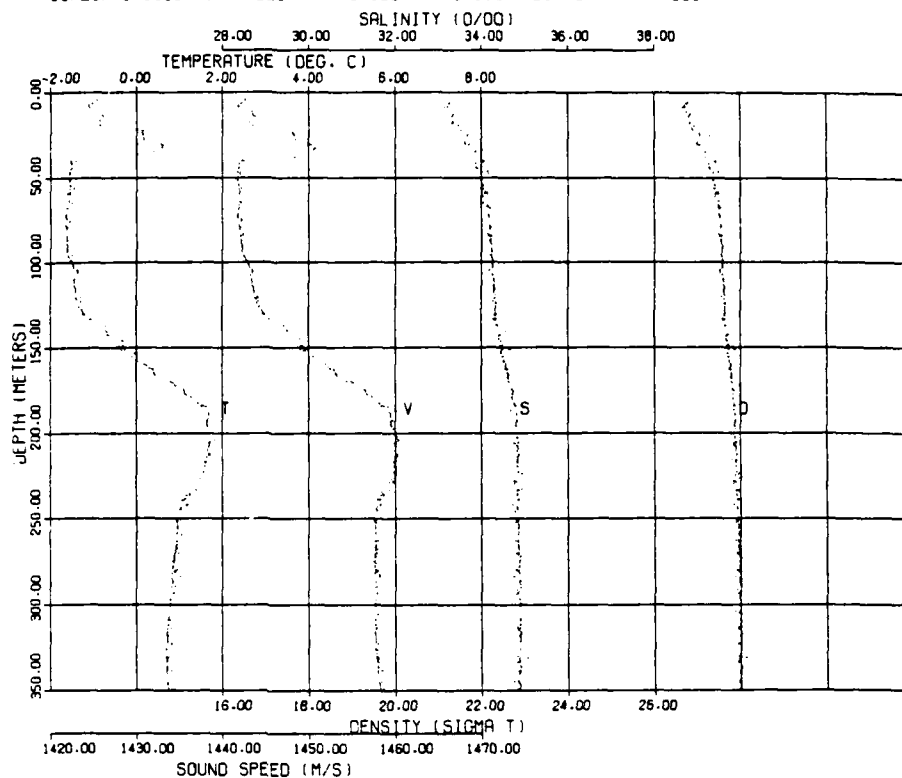
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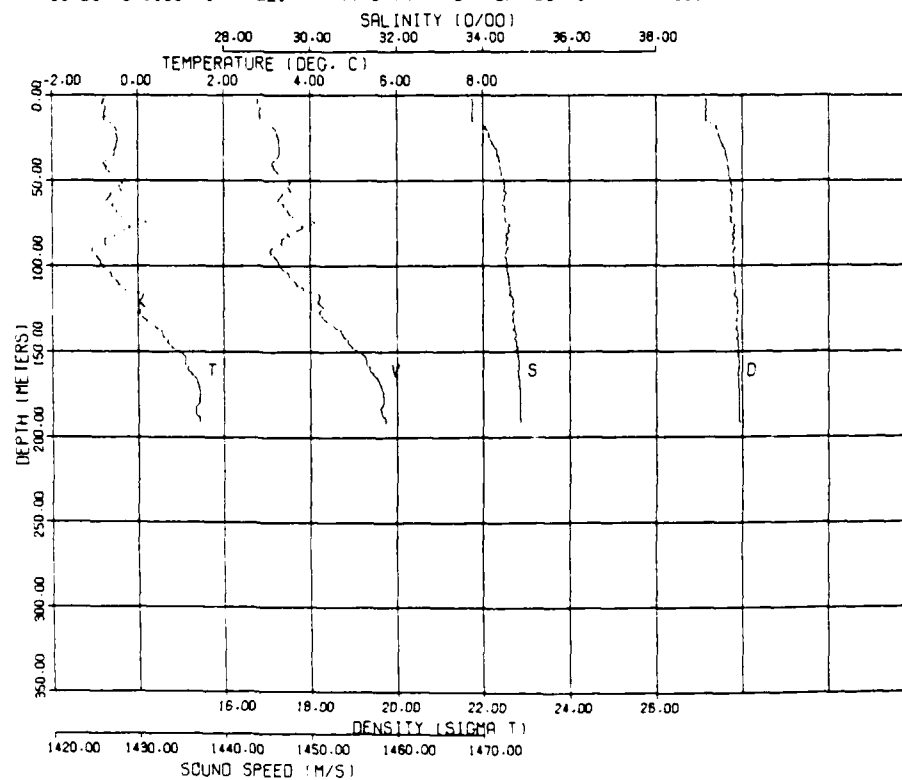
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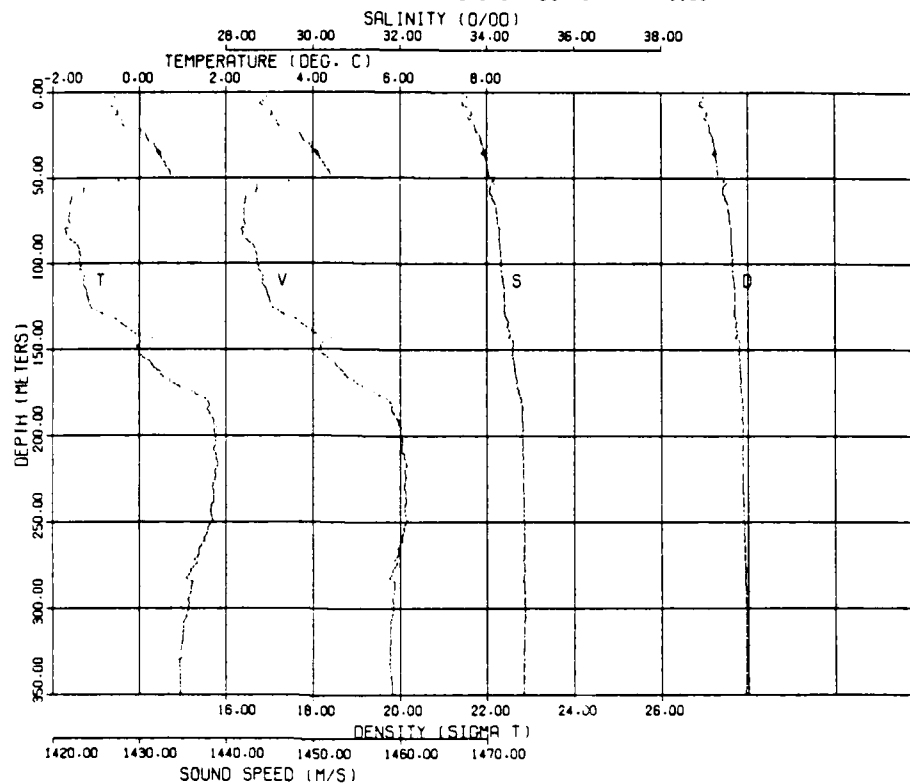
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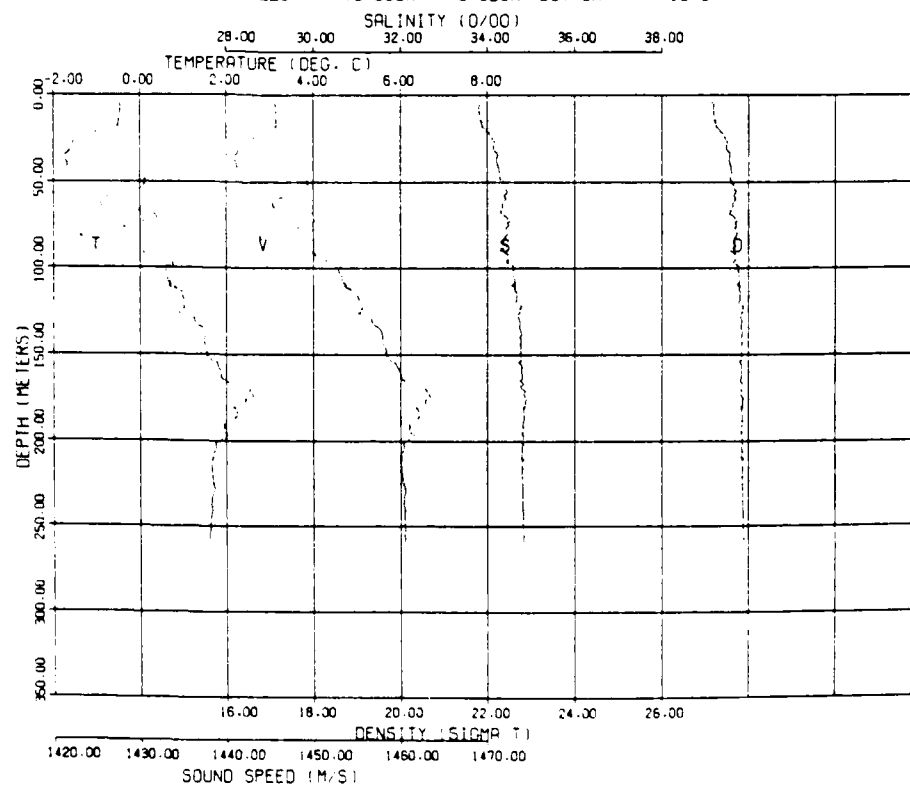
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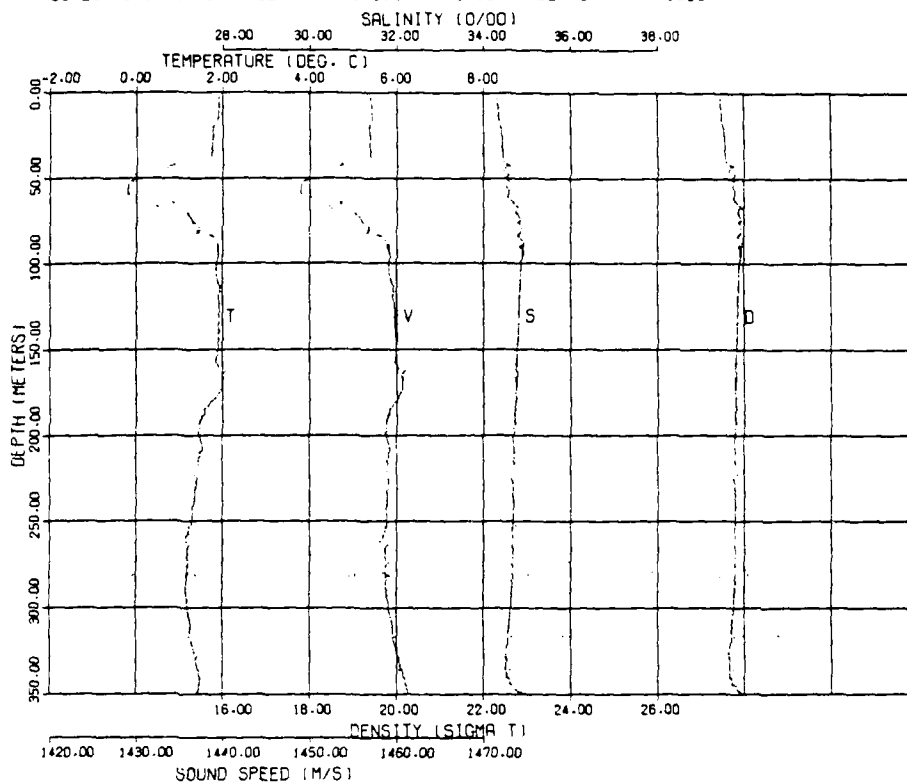
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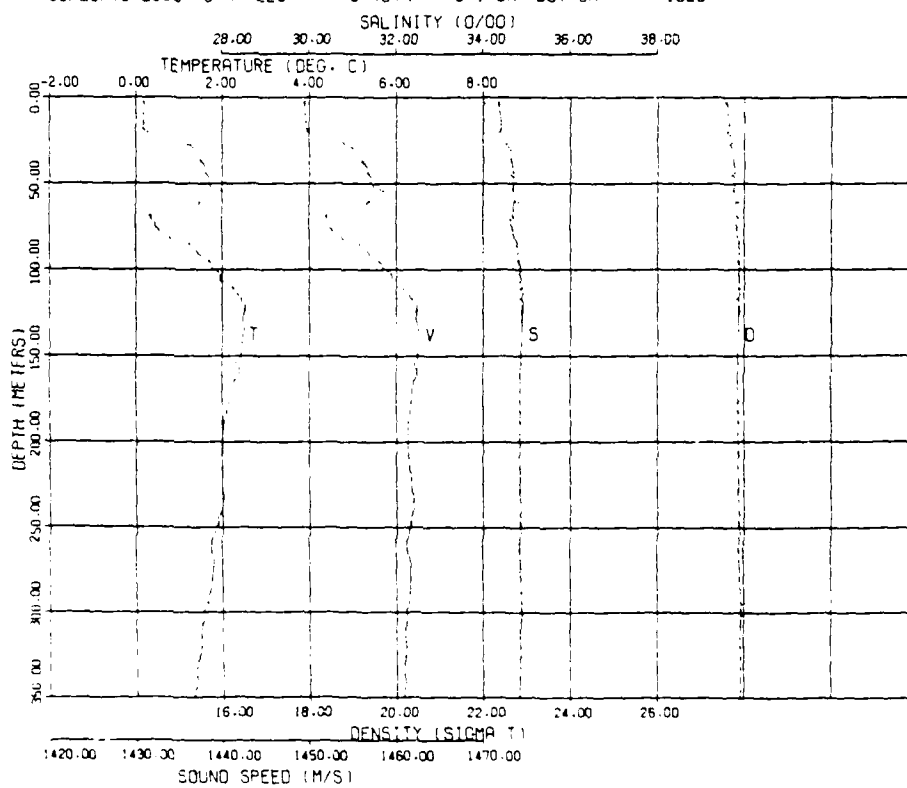
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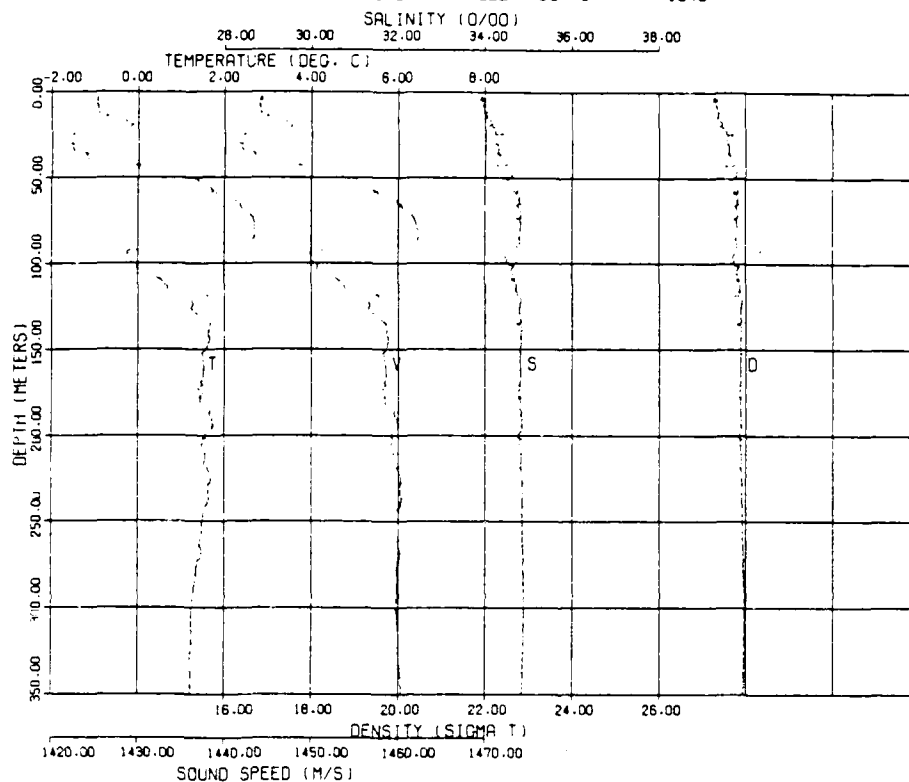
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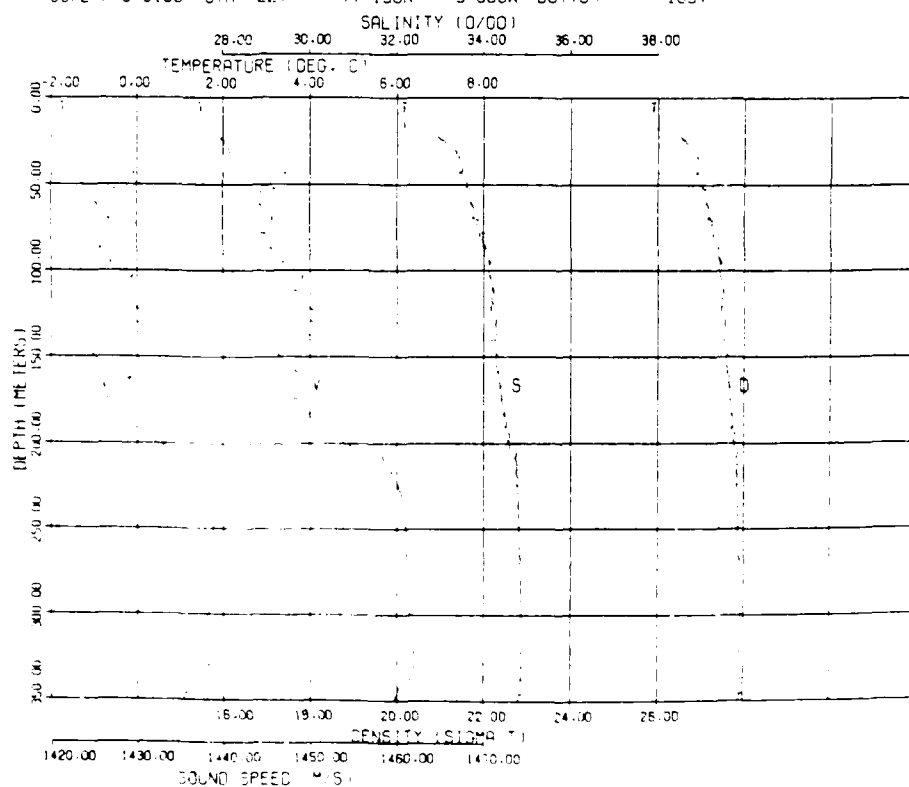
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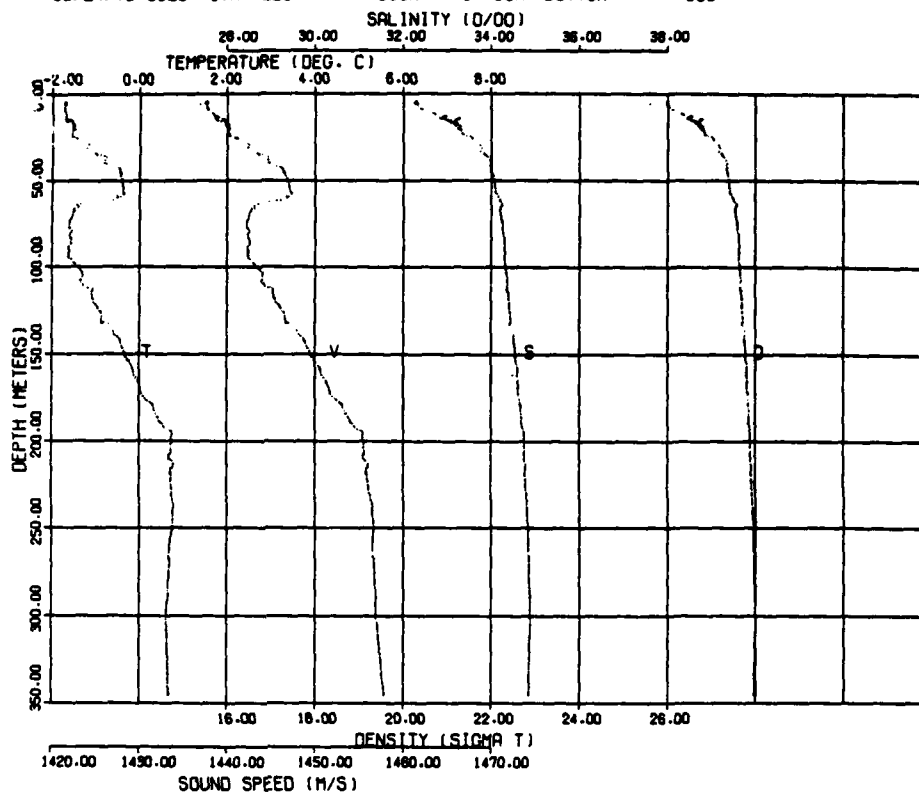
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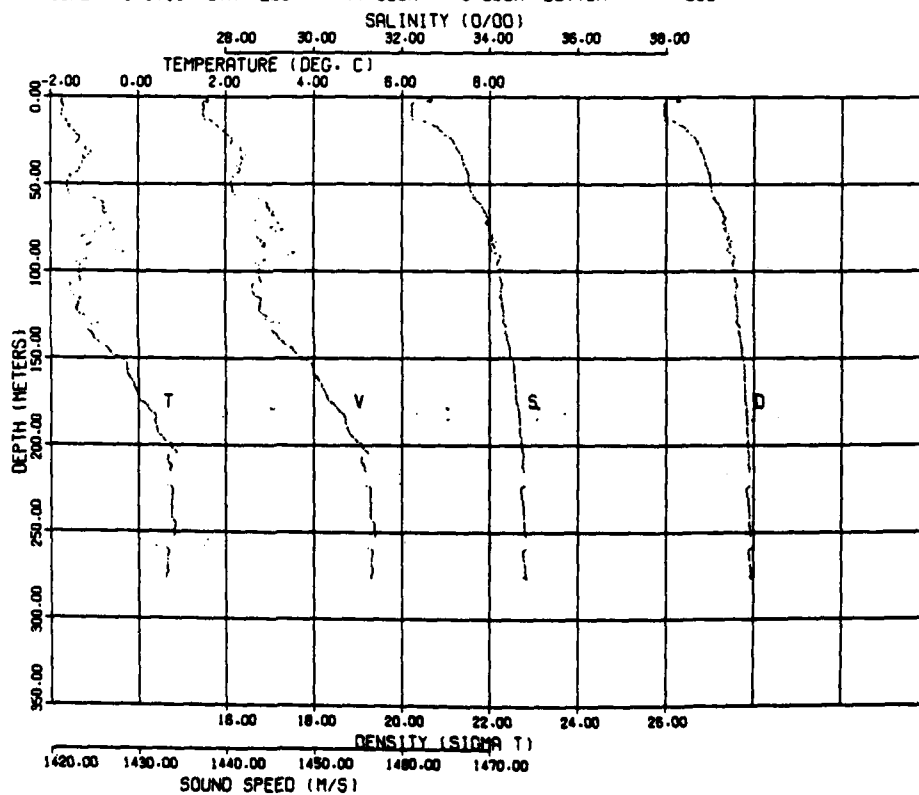
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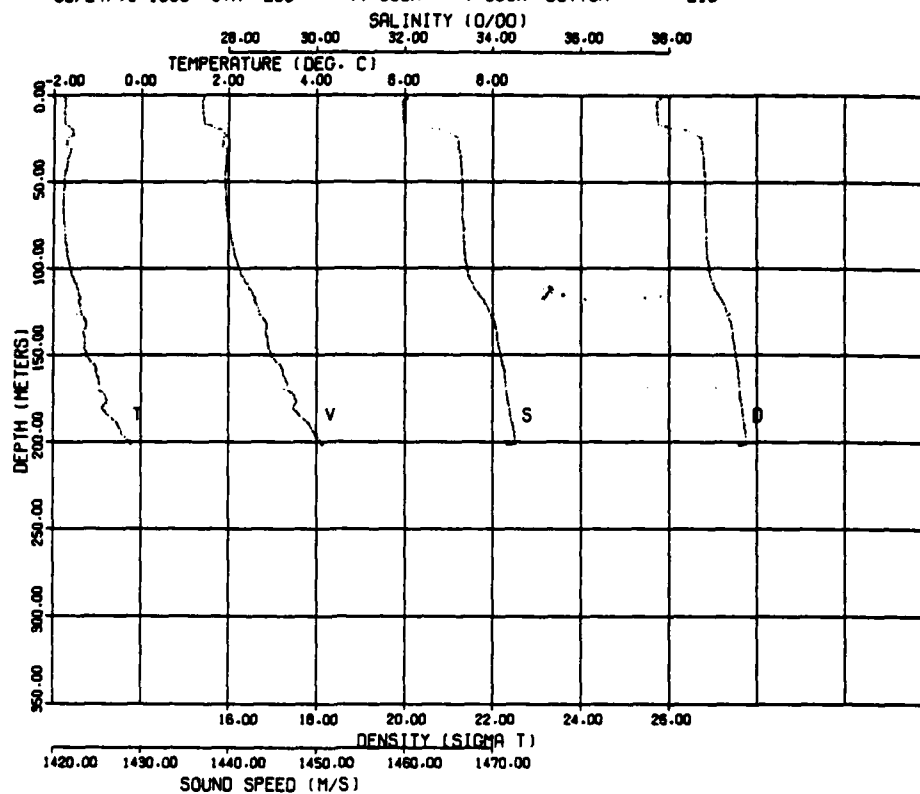
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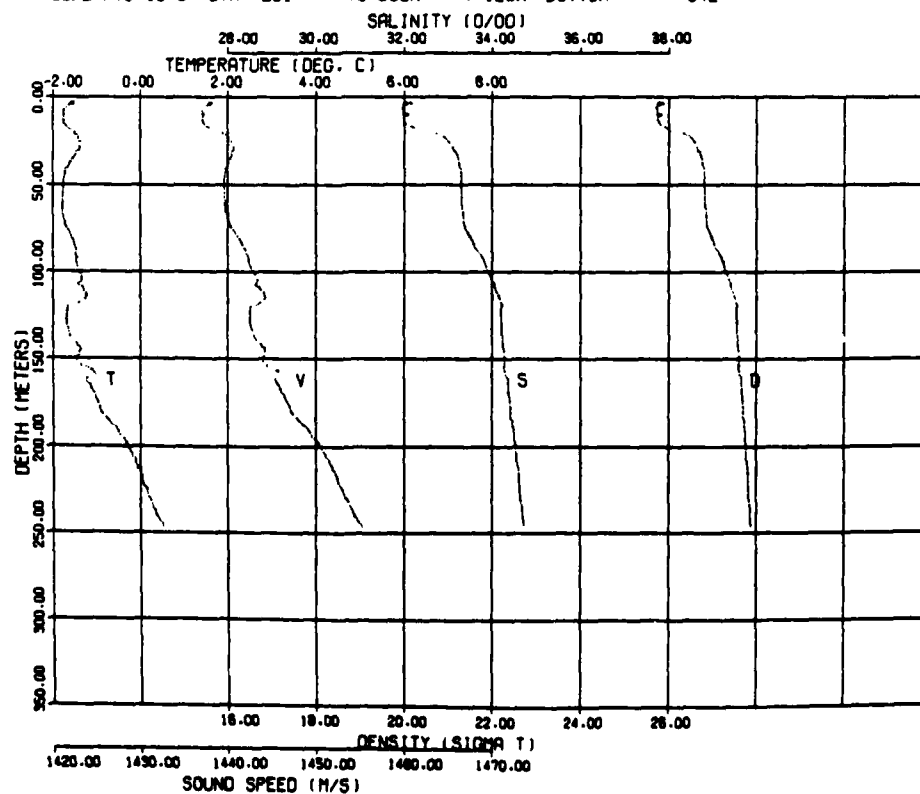
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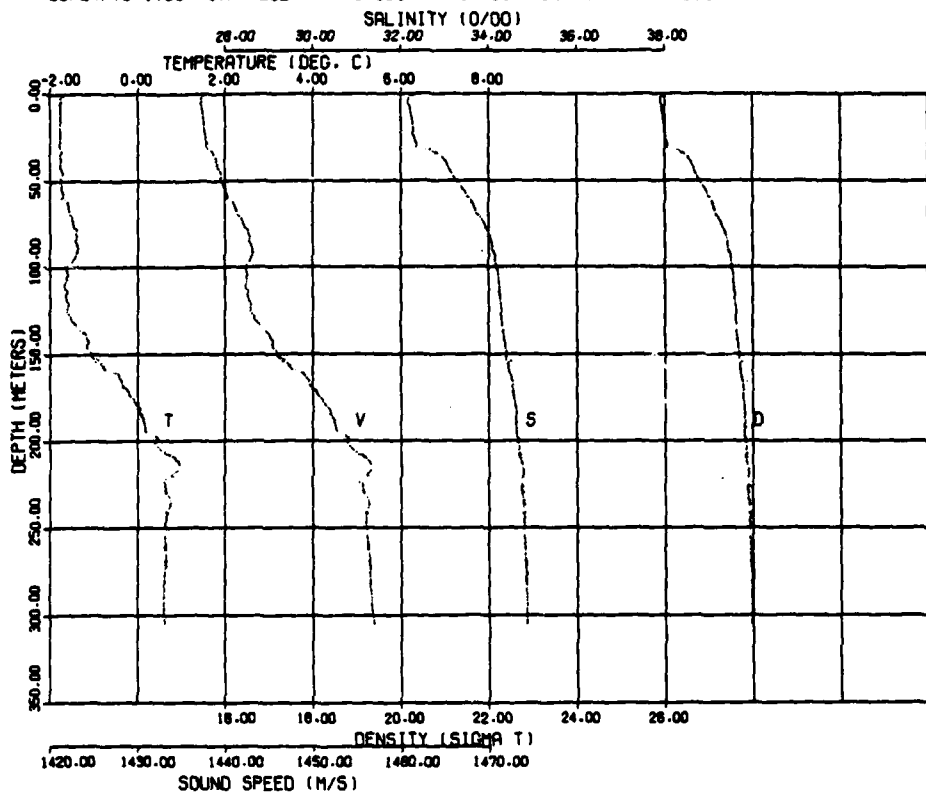
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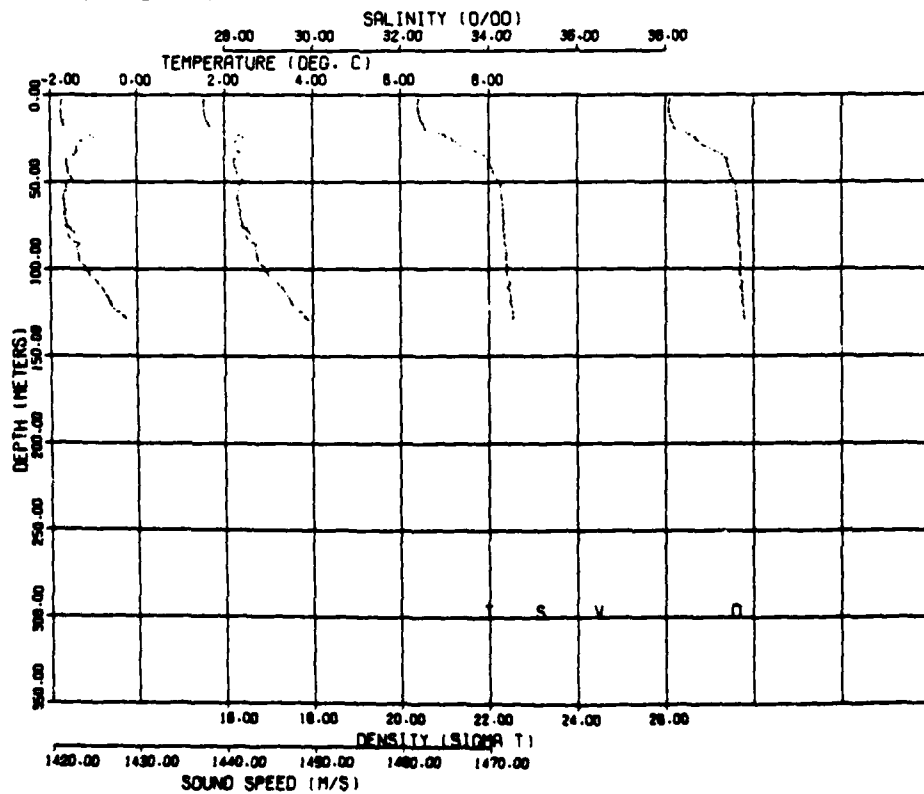
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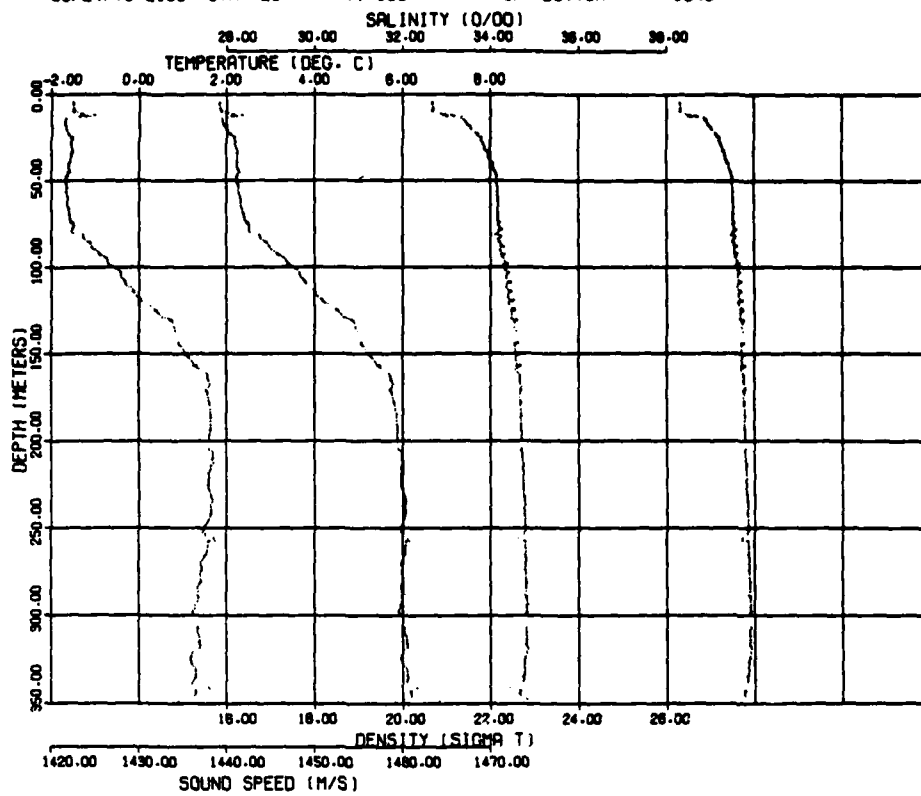
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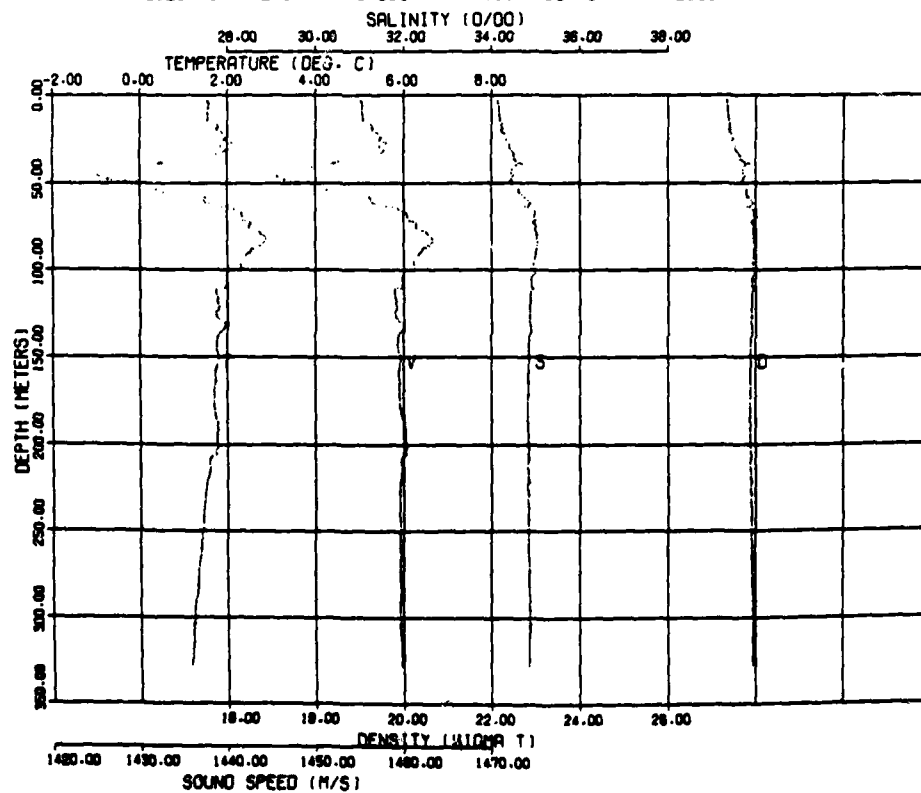
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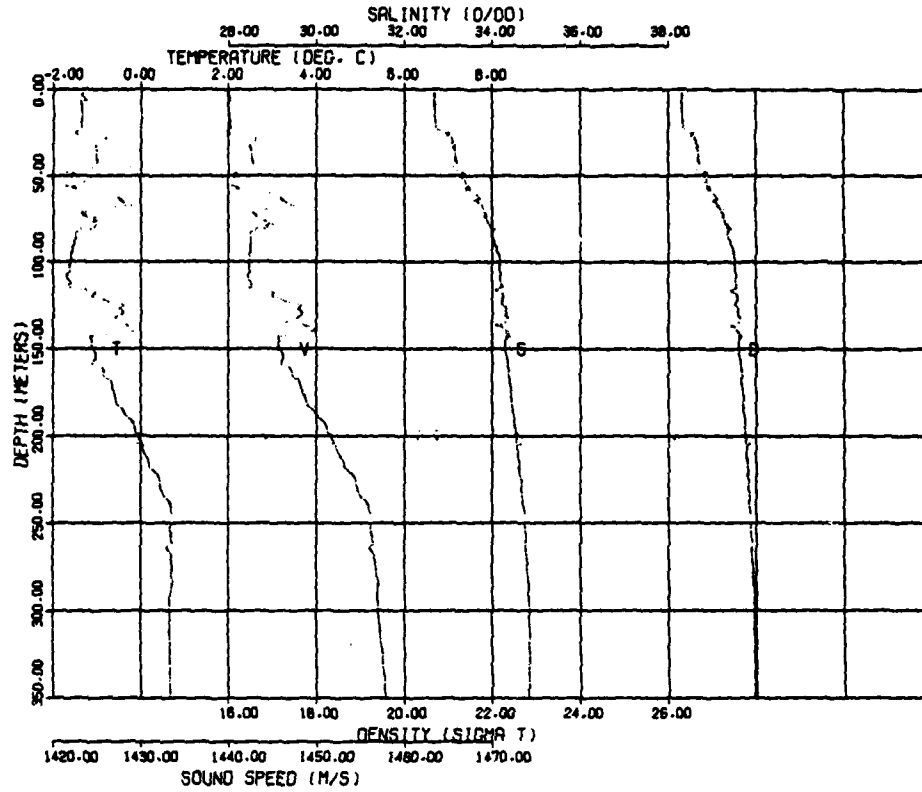
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